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Fight $15,000,000 Fire With Dynamite

Astoria, Oregon, Loses Business District in Flames—Believe Casualties Limited to Two.

[By The Associated Press]

Astoria, Ore., Dec. 8—The business district of Astoria was laid in ruins by a fire which broke out shortly after 2 a m and despite efforts of the local fire department and reinforcements from Portland, swept sixteen blocks, causing a loss estimated at between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000.

One man was reported dead and another missing.

The Portland fire department responded to a call for help with equipment and hose but buildings were being dynamited in an effort to check the flames

The men reported to be dead and missing were Morris Staples president of the Bank of Commerce and W. H. Bolton, owner of the largest furniture store in town.

The buildings destroyed included the leading hotel, the principal stores and all the banks.

BUILT ON PILES.

The business section of Astoria is built along the river bank and a large part of it is on piling. The residence district is on high ground

Astoria was established more than a century ago as a trading post and was named in honor of John Jacob Astor, pioneer trader whose agents were active at the post

STRIKE OIL NEAR LAWRENCEVILLE

Bring in 1,500 Barrel Well Near Allendale.

Lawrenceville Ill, Dec. 8—the bringing of a 1,500 barrel oil well on the Della Wright farm, near Allendale has caused excitement in Lawrence and Wabash counties The well is located in section 3, Wabash township, Wabash county.

The sand was struck at 1545 feet Hundreds of oil men are reported to be on the ground seeking leases The well is ¾ mile southwest of the Allendale oil field and rated as virgin production. It also is said to be the largest producer brought in in the state since 1918.

TWO MISSING IN OIL FIELD FIRE

Lightning Strikes Arkansas Storage Plant.

Eldorado, Ark., Dec. 8—Two oil field workers are missing in the Smackover field where fire late Thursday destroyed about 100,000 barrels of oil.

The fire started when lightning struck a pit. Derricks and other oil in storage were destroyed by flames

SUIT TO TEST STATE BONUS

Springfield, Ill. Dec 8—William R McCauley, former Illinois department commander of the American Legion, announced here Thursday night at a meeting of the service recognition board at which the actual work preparatory to paying the soldier bonus was launched that the legion "would see that a friendly suit is brought to test the constitutionality of the bonus law."

$190,000,000 IN CHRISTMAS CLUBS

New York, Dec. 8.—Depositors in Christmas clubs throughout the country will receive $190,000,000 before Dec. 10, it was announced.

CANVASSING BOARD SEATS SEN. MARKS

Rules Fraud in Chicago Balloting.

[By The Associated Press]

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8—On the ground that 300 votes had been cast fraudently in the seventh precinct of first ward in Chicago the state canvassing board Thursday night voted to issue a certificate of election to Senator Adolph Marks, Republican of Chicago, who contested the election of Norman H McPherson, Democrat, state senator from the first senatorial district

The district lies wholly in Chicago

PUTS 3 TO 2

The board split three to two on the question of whether they had a legal right to go back of the returns to hear evidence on the vote Governor Small, State Auditor Andrew Russel and State Treasurer Edward Miller took the position that the canvassing board was the supreme tribunal to decide on the question, voting to seat Marks

They were opposed by Secretary of State Louis Emmerson and assistant Attorney General William Trautmann who represented Attorney General Brundage.

VOTES FOR FIFTY CENTS

Evidence of fraud, which included alleged buying of votes for 50 cents each in the lodging house district of the first ward, and the presence in the election booths of political workers who were not election officials, was presented by Attorneys Frank D Avers and Edward H. Wright of Chicago on behalf of Marks

REFUSE HENNEBRY.

While deciding go back of the returns in the Marks contest, the board refused to disturb the vote in the case of Representative M F. Hennebry, Democrat, of Wilmington.

He alleged he had been counted out of the forty-first district because in tabulating two straight ballots he had been given only one vote for each vote cast, whereas under the law he should have received three votes for each ballot cast for him.

The contest of Charles T. Hayes Democrat of Harvard, was dropped as there was no one present to represent him

SAY WIFE PLOTTED HUSBAND'S DEATH

Detroit, Dec. 8.—May Blenn Ford solicited the services of a gunman to kill her wealthy husband of a year, Ney J. Ford. She offered the gunman $20,000 for the job and gave him a photograph of her husband to make sure the right man was slain, according to the sworn statements of four detectives whose investigation resulted in Mrs. Ford's detention today on a charge of attempting to commit murder.

Denying the charge, Mrs Ford declared she was the victim of a "frame-up" that grew out of her domestic difficulties. These difficulties include a suit for divorce, filed last August, in which she charges cruelty, and a suit asking $25,000 damages of her estranged husband, for alleged assault.

N. Y. POLICE WIN $150,000 BATTLE

New York Dec. 8—Theft by a gang of negroes of $150,000 worth of valuables from the summer homes of Harry Payne Whitney and other wealthy New Yorkers was revealed Thursday night by detectives after a battle in "Hell's Kitchen" on the edge of the uptown theatre district

The detectives made two arrests and recovered loot valued at $50,000

Pleads For Jail Term To Fight Drug Habit

BY JAMES R. RECORD.

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Ft Worth, Dec. 8.—Admitted to jail only after tearful entreaty Robert Brown, once brilliant young prosecuting attorney of a Texas district, today is fighting what he and his friends hope will be a winning battle against the drug habit.

FRAMED OWN CHARGE

Brown is in the Tarrant county jail here serving a sentence on a technical charge which was of his own framing. One week ago he swore to an allegation of vagrancy against himself. Today he said that he was gaining steadily under treatment but he would try to stay in the jail until he found he is fully cured.

WAR VETERAN.

Resigning his official post as a prosecuting attorney to serve in the World war, Brown last week appealed to County Judge Pete W Seward of Ft Worth to help him be cured of the drug habit, contracted in the army. He said it was undermining his strength and will power and he wanted to go some place where he could be properly treated

FORMAL CHARGE.

A formal charge of vagrancy was entered by direction of the court and the lawyer was taken to jail. In order that the cravings for the drug might not cause a change of heart Judge Seward fixed bond, if it was to be furnished, at the prohibitive sum of $5,000, the highest ever entered in a vagrancy charge in Texas.

DEPENDS ON CURE.

Just how long Brown will be confined in the jail depends upon the manner in which the "cure" works. Judge Seward said today that he believed that a man who was as willing a patient as Brown is, should be ready to be released within thirty days. As soon as the jail doctor pronounces him all right he will be brought into court and an order of discharge entered.

FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS ON PAGE 22 SHOW

Commodities Unchanged.
Stocks Higher.
Live Stock Strong.
Foreign Exchange Strong
Dry Goods Dull.
Wool Spotty.
Bonds Irregular.
Liberties Strong.
Cotton Active.

RORY O'CONNOR IS EXECUTED

Four Irish Rebels Die Before Free State Firing Squad.

[By The Associated Press]

Dublin, Dec. 8.—Rory O'Connor and Liam Mellowes, together with two other Irish rebels were executed in Mount Joy prison this morning, it was officially announced.

The two other men executed were Joseph McKelvey and Richard Barrett, both prominent republicans.

AS REPRISALS

An official army report states that the four men were executed as a reprisal for the assassination of Sean Hales, the deputy shot yesterday and as a solemn warning to those associated with them "in the conspiracy of assassination against the representatives of the Irish people"

BY MILITARY COURT

The prisoners were tried by a military court during the night, found guilty and sentenced to death

The death sentence was carried out at 9 20 o'clock this morning Three priests were present The prisoners blindfolded, were marched to the place of execution O'Connor had to be assisted to the scaffold.

Roderick (Rory) O'Connor and Liam Mellowes were leaders of the band of Irish insurgents that held the Four Courts building in Dublin in its stand against the Free State troops last June Each was taken prisoner when the building was captured after a three day siege

KILL HOSPITAL CHARGE.

[By The Associated Press.]

London, Dec 8—The Dublin correspondent of the Evening Standard reports that a party of men today entered the Mercers hospital and shot a Free State soldier lying in one of the beds in reprisal for the executions of Rory O'Connor and Liam Mellowes.

HERE AND THERE IN THE NEWS OF TODAY

Shanghai—C. O Forsberg, American missionary captured by bandits in Honan province, has been released, it was reported.

Essen—France has made 1,200,000,000 francs profit on the coal delivered by Germany on the reparations account, Dr. Klaus Scholl of Essen asserted after an investigation.

Philadelphia—The federal grand jury absolved the authorities of the United States' veterans hospital of responsibility in connection with the death in 1921 of Alfonso Swertzshell, shocked soldier.

Paris—France granted the Canadian government perpetual use of several acres on Vimy Ridge, as a site for monuments to Canadian soldiers who died in the attack on the eminence.

Denver, Colo.—Ralph G. Moses, one of the organizers of the American Federation of Labor, died.

New York.—Railroad carloadings in September, October and November broke all records with a total of 12,465,136 cars, it was announced.

MONTICELLO J. H. TO PLAY TONIGHT

Monticello, Dec. 8—The Monticello Junior High school basketball team will play the Mansfield Junior High Friday night at Monticello as a curtain raiser for the Monticello H. S—Garrett H. S game

Only two men from last year are left on the Junior team and the new men have had little experience. The Junior schedule is as follows:

Dec 8—Mansfield, here.
Dec 15—Atwood, here.
Dec. 16—Open.
Dec. 21—Roosevelt J H, here.
Dec. 22—Deland, here
Dec. 23—Mansfield, there.
Dec. 29—Sullivan, there.
Jan. 5—Decatur Central, here.
Jan. 6—Open.
Jan. 12—Urbana, there.
Jan. 19—Roosevelt, Decatur.
Jan. 26—Open.
Jan. 26-27—Piatt county tournament.
Feb. 3—Open.
Feb. 10—Central, Decatur.

WOODROW WILSON GAINING HEALTH

Baltimore, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson tells women Democrats of Maryland that former President Wilson is gaining in health and that he is "most wonderful patient."

ROYALTY OPENS PARLIAMENT

The pomp and trappings of regal state surrounded the recent opening of Parliament. Here is the royal coach, bearing King George, leaving the palace grounds for the triumphant journey to the House of Parliament, where the speech "from the throne" was delivered.

Packers' War May Be Aftermath of Merger

Morris Brothers Claim Armour Withholds Facts of Proposed Combination.

Chicago, Dec 8—An unexpected turn in the discussed merger of the two large packing firms, Morris and company and Armour and company became known today when a signed statement issued by the former firm was made public It was over the signature of Nelson Morris, chairman of the board of directors and Edward Morris, president of the company

WITHHELD FACTS.

The statement indicated that J Ogden Armour, of Armour and company, in visits to Washington and conferences with officials of the government on the proposed merger has not taken officials of Morris and company into his confidence. At least part of Morris and company officials' knowledge of his actions, as indicated by the statement, was obtained from newspaper reports

MAY BRING WAR.

It was said in some quarters, following the issuance of the statement, that it indicated, although the Morris and company holdings might be acquired by Armour and company the former firm would not forsake the packing business for any length of time. This, the observers pointed out, might culminate in a packers' war.

AWAIT RULING.

Meanwhile the packing group awaited an announcement from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace to whom Attorney-General Daugherty yesterday was reported to have submitted an opinion on the legality of the proposed merger.

Mr Armour, who planned to depart for the east early today, last night refused to discuss the merger but it was understood that additional conferences with public officials in Washington were planned for the near future

MIGRATION OF CORN BORER BIG PROBLEM

Washington, Dec 8—Means of preventing the migration across the United States of the destructive corn borer, was the principal topic of discussion Thursday before the National Association of Commissioners, secretaries and departments of agriculture, which is meeting here in fifth annual convention.

STREET CAR UPSETS, FOURTEEN INJURED

Los Angeles, Dec. 8—A street car containing fifty passengers was struck by another car and knocked over on its side in a business street. Only fourteen were reported injured.

TIGER HAS DAY TO RECUPERATE

Concludes His Washington Visit Today with Fifth Speech.

Washington, Dec 8—Georges Clemenceau, war time premier of France, will conclude his visit to Washington today with the fifth "formal" address of his American tour. He will speak before the International Lyceum and Chautauqua association.

Clemenceau planned to spend most of the day in seclusion.

SCHOOL DADS MUST SERVE JAIL TERMS

Illinois Supreme Court Returns Ruling.

[By The Associated Press]

Springfield, Dec. 8—Members of the former Chicago board of education convicted of contempt in ousting former Superintendent Chadsey must serve their jail sentences the supreme court decided this morning in refusing a writ of supercedas to three of the members, Albert H. Severinghaus, former vice president, George B. Arnold and William A. Dither the board's attorney.

Their sole recourse to escape the jail sentence imposed on them is a writ of habeas corpus.

HINTON PLANE ON COAST OF BRAZIL

[By The Associated Press.]

Buenos Aires, Dec. 8—Lieut. Walter Hinton in the seaplane Sampano Correia II., arrived at Braganca on the coast 100 miles northeast of Para, at 10 o'clock Thursday evening, according to advices received here from Para.

Kemalists Modify Strait Demands

Agree To Limitation of Naval Forces Within Black Sea—Fear Surprise Attack.

[By The Associated Press]

Lausanne, Dec 8— Turkey presented to the Near East conference today, counter-suggestions concerning control of the straits of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus. The Turks ask:

"Guarantees against surprise attacks from land or sea threatening the security of the straits, of Constantinople or of the sea of Marmora.

LIMIT FORCES

"Limitation of naval forces bound for the Black sea so that they will not constitute a danger to the zone extending between the two straits to the Black sea; Turkey expresses the view that these forces might be composed of light warships employed for the protection of international commerce.

Interdiction upon the maintenance of warships in the Black sea, and,

Liberty of passage for merchantmen in time of peace and of war.

CLAIMS NO TRANGRESSIONS.

The Turkish position on the question of the straits was presented by Ismet Pasha, who gave a historical sketch of the problem of the straits, declaring Turkey never had acted contrary to international treaties concerning that waterway.

Ismet mentioned certain points in the inter-allied proposals which he considered particularly harmful to Turkey. Of these the first was the inclusion of the sea of Marmora in the definition of the straits, because preparations for defense on the shores of this sea were necessary for the defense of Anatolia and Thrace and yet would not affect the liberty of passage for vessels.

STUDY DEMANDS.

After hearing Ismet Pasha's address the conference recessed until after noon to give the Allies time to study the Turkish suggestions.

Some European delegates expressed the opinion that the points raised by the Turks should not make a final accord difficult.

During the session Foreign Minister Tchitcherin of Russia, again insisted that the straits should be closed to all except Turkish warships. He believed, he said, that the setting up of Buffer states like Turkey would prevent future clashes in the east.

HERRIN JURY IS SELECTED

Complete Panel After Five Weeks of Legal Combat.

Marion, Ill., Dec. 8.—Completion of the jury to try five men for the Herrin mine killings was possible as Williamson county circuit court convened today to resume examination of talesmen.

Eight of the twelve jurors have been chosen, and three prospective jurors are being held tentatively by the defense.

FIVE WEEKS TIME.

Five weeks have been consumed in obtaining the jury. More than 200 veniremen have been examined.

Eight jurors had been accepted previously and this morning the defense tendered a panel of four which was acceptable to the state. The average age of the jurymen is 44 years.

[By The Associated Press]

Marion, Ill, Dec. 8.—The jury to try five men charged with murder in connection with the Herrin mine killings was completed shortly before noon today.

POLICE BAFFLED BY MURDERESS

Clara Phillips Is Still At Liberty.

Los Angeles Dec 8—Officials were quoted today as admitting they "hardly knew in what direction to look" for Mrs. Clara Phillips, "hammer murderess" who sawed her way to freedom from the Los Angeles county jail last Tuesday morning.

WIDE SEARCH.

Since her escape became known approximately six hours after she severed the bars across her cell window, the police of the great part of the country and of the Mexican territory of Lower California, as well, have been on the watch for her.

WORTHLESS TIPS.

But so far the search has resulted only in scores of "tips" which proved worthless and in annoyance to two women as far east as Chicago, who were believed to bear some resemblance to the missing murderess and who were passengers on trains on which she was reported to be traveling eastward.

CALL HEALY SWORN FOE OF IRELAND

Republicans Declare They Will Not Yield.

[By The Associated Press.]

London, Dec 8—The Irish republicans, says a dispatch to the Evening Standard from Dublin, have issued a manifestto describing Timothy Healy, the governor-general, as a life-long enemy of the nation. The manifesto adds:

"The fight will go on as long as there is a man in Ireland. It is war to the death."

EMPLOYMENT IN STATE IMPROVES

Chicago, Dec. 8—Employment conditions in Illinois continued to improve during November, according to the report of the general advisory board of the department of labor, made public today. An improvement in railroad traffic conditions during the month also was noted.

SAY LLOYD'S PARDON UN-AMERICAN ACT

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 8 — Governor Small's action in pardoning William Bross Lloyd and sixteen associates was branded as un-American and savoring of anarchy in a resolution passed Thursday night by Elmer E. Hill, post American Legion of Lexington, Ill.

ARTHUR RESIDENT DIES IN THE WEST

Arthur, Dec. 8—Albert Ellars, a very prominent retired farmer of this community but late of Long Beach, Cal., passed away at the Hospital of the Good Smaritan in Los Angeles Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, after a short illness and operation for cancer. The funeral will be held in Long Beach, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Ellars has large land holdings in this community and also was a stock buyer of note. Since going to California he has invested in land in the Imperial Valley. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Annette Campell Ellars, and a sister, Mrs. Hackett, at Tuscola.

Harding Says Prohibition Is Here to Stay

Message To Congress Deals With Score of Problems Confronting Nation.

Washington, Dec. 8—President Harding in his annual message delivered today to congress in person deals with nearly a score of subjects, chief among them prohibition, farm credits, the transportation problem, child labor and immigration.

WILL STUDY DRY LAWS.

The executive announces his purpose to invite the governors of the states and territories to an early conference with the federal executive authority with a view to adopting definite policies of national and state co-operation in administering the prohibition laws.

He says the day is unlikely to come when the prohibition amendment will be repealed and that the nation should adapt its course accordingly.

President Harding tells congress that if the statutory provisions for prohibition enforcement are contrary to deliberate public opinion, which he does not believe, the rigorous and literal enforcement will concentrate public attention on any requisite modification.

CHALLENGES VIOLATORS.

"Such a course," he adds, "conforms with the law and saves the humiliation of the government and the humiliation of our people before the world and challenges the destructive forces engaged in widespread violation, official corruption and individual demoralization."

ABOLISH LABOR BOARD.

With regard to the transportation problem, Mr. Harding proposes that the labor board be abolished with the substitution of a labor division in the interstate commerce commission with ample power to require its rulings be accepted by both parties to a disputed question.

The executive also proposes that the law require the carriers and their employes to institute means and methods to negotiate between themselves their constantly arising differences, limiting appeals to the government body to disputes of such character as are likely to affect the public welfare.

Coordination of all transportation facilities is urged by the president.

HIT FARMER FIRST.

"The railway strike accentuated the difficulty of the American farmer. The first distress of readjustment came to the farmer, and it will not be a readjustment fit to abide until he is relieved. The distress brought to the farmer does not affect him alone. Agricultural ill-fortune is a national ill-fortune

"This congress already has taken cognizance of the misfortune which precipitate deflation brought to American agriculture. Your measures of relief and the reduction of the federal reserve discount rate undoubtedly saved the country from widespread disaster.

WIDENED CREDITS.

The very proof of helpfulness already given is the strongest argument for the permanent establishment of widened credits, heretofore temporarily extended through the war finance corporation.

"The farm loan bureau, which already has proven its usefulness through the federal land banks, may well have its powers enlarged to provide ample farm production credits as well as enlarged land credits. It is entirely practical to create a division in the federal land banks to deal with production credits, with the limitations of time so adjusted to the farm turnover as the federal reserve system provides for the turnover in the manufacturing and mercantile world.

SPECIAL PROVISION.

Special provision must be made for live stock production credits and the limit of land loans may be safely enlarged. Various measures are pending before you, and the best judgment of congress ought to be expressed in a prompt enactment at the present session.

"But American agriculture needs more than added credit facilities. The credits will help to solve the pressing problems growing out of war-inflated land values and the drastic deflation of three years ago, but permanent and deserved agriculture good fortune depends on better and cheaper transportation. Here is an outstanding problem demanding the most rigorous consideration of the congress and the country.

BIGGEST PROBLEM.

"I know of no problem exceeding in importance this one of transportation. We have built forty per cent of the world's railroad milenge, and yet find it inadequate to our present requirements. When we contemplate the inadequacy of today, it is easy to believe that the next few decades will witness the paralysis of our transportation—using social scheme of a complete reorganization on some new basis.

MUST BE SETTLED.

"This transportation problem cannot be waived aside. The demand for lowered costs on farm products, and basic materials cannot be ignored

Rates horizontally increased to meet increased wage outlays during the war inflation, are not easily reduced When some very moderate wage reductions were effected last summer there was a five per cent horizontal reduction in rates.

NEED FAIR RETURN.

"Railways are not expected to render the most essential service in our social organization without a fair return on capital invested, but the government has gone so far in the regulation of rates and rules of operation that it has the responsibility of pointing the way to the reduced freight costs so essential to your national welfare.

NOT THE CURE.

"Government operation does not afford the cure. Clearly the managers are without that intercarrier, cooperative relationship so highly essential to the best and most economical operation. They could not function in harmony when the strike threatened the paralysis of all railway transportation.

"I remind you that congress provided a joint commission of agricultural inquiry which made an exhaustive investigation of car service and transportation and unanimously recommended in its report of October 15, 1921 the pooling of freight cars under a central agency. This report well deserves your serious consideration.

LOOT MAILS AT ST. JOE

Bandits Hold Up Clerks in Station Near Midnight.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 8—Three unmasked and armed men held up two mail clerks at the union station at 12:55 o'clock this morning and escaped in a waiting automobile with one package of registered mail and five packages of first class mail which had just been taken from the mail car of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy passenger train number 23, en route from Kansas City to Omaha.

VALUE UNKNOWN.

The value of the loot obtained is unknown.

The holdup occurred on the station platform just as the two clerks started from the mail car to carry the mail into the terminal station.

WILL COMBINE TWO AMERICAN FLEETS

Washington, Dec. 8.—Consolidation of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets into the "United States fleet" with Admiral H P. Jones in supreme command and Vice Admiral E W. Eberle as commander in chief of the "battle fleet" unit, was announced Thursday night by the navy department.

SHEETS ELECTED HIGHWAY OFFICIAL

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 8.—C. J. Bennett, member of the Connecticut Highway Commission, was elected president of the American Association of State Highway Officials at the final session of the association's eighth annual meeting here late Thursday.

Fred H. White of Iowa was chosen vice president. Charles M. Upham of North Carolina and Frank T. Sheets of Illinois, were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

The Weather

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois:

Generally fair tonight and Saturday, much colder tonight.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p. m. Thursday	50
Highest Thursday	50
7 a. m. Friday	39
Noon Friday	31
Lowest Friday	30
Sun rises (Standard time)	7:11
Sun sets	4:36

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Dec. 8—

Canadian Northwest—14 to 28 below; cloudy, general light precipitation.

Northwest—18 below to 4 above; clear; light snows.

West—Zero to 28 above; cloudy; light precipitation

Southwest—12 to 26, cloudy; light precipitation

Ohio Valley—58 to 66; cloudy; fair rains.

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SHELBY POULTRY SHOW DEC. 18-23

Exhibition to Be Held in Shelbyville.

Shelbyville, Dec. 8—The Shelby County Poultry Association will hold its fourth annual show, Dec. 18-23, in the Finks garage in this city. A large number of cash and special prizes will be offered in all the classes of chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys. Entries to the show are open to the world. The rules provide that forty per cent of the entry fee shall be paid to the first and twenty per cent to the winner of second place in the showing of each variety. Entries will close at midnight, Monday, Dec. 18.

The Shelby County Boys' and Girls' Club classes also will hold an exhibit at the show. Only boys and girls of the county poultry clubs who have met the requirements of club members for 1922 are eligible to compete, and only birds on which records were kept in the 1922 poultry club may be exhibited. No entry fee will be charged in the club class. Five prizes offered in each of cockerel, pullet and young pen classes. Three sweepstake prizes will be awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lockard, formerly of Tower Hill, now living with their daughter in Mt. Vernon, were business visitors in Shelbyville Thursday.

Mrs. E. B. Herron entertained the Mizpah class of the First Methodist Sunday school Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served.

Edwin Toothman, a graduate of Sparks Business College, is visiting friends and relatives in Shelbyville. He came from Memphis, Tenn., where he reported a convention. He will return to Washington, D. C., in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Killam departed Wednesday night for Cleveland, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

S. M. R. A. MOVES.

The Shelbyville Mutual Relief association has moved their quarters over the H. R. Bridges grocery store in West Shelbyville. This association had for many years held their meetings at South Fifth and Vine streets but the room had been inadequate for some time to accommodate the increasing membership. A special program was given and refreshments were served in the new quarters Tuesday night.

MASONIC OFFICERS.

The following Masonic officers were elected at their regular meeting Wednesday night: Worshipful master, William Taylor; senior warden, P. V. Culp; junior warden, Frank Warner; treasurer, Harry Turner; secretary, E. A. Johnston.

Misses Myrtle Salmons and May Stockdale celebrated their twentieth birthdays last Sunday. Several friends were there and the afternoon was spent in games and music.

The second team of the Sparks Business college was defeated in a game of basketball with the American Legion at Pana last Wednesday night. Score: Pana, 52; Sparks, 28.

AT INSURANCE MEET.

Carl A. Jackson, assistant secretary of the Kackaskia Live Stock Insurance Co., left Wednesday morning for Chicago, where he will attend a meeting of the National Live Stock Insurance companies. Mr. Jackson is secretary-treasurer of this association. He also will attend a meeting of American Horse association and the international live stock show.

KENNEY O. E. S. NAMES OFFICERS

Kenney, Dec. 8—At the last stated meeting of Aurum Chapter No. 364, O. E. S., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy Matron—Miss Vela Leming.
Worthy Patron—J. W. Howard.
Associate Matron — Mrs. Iverne Parker.
Secretary—Miss Ethel Edwards.
Treasurer—Mrs. Golda McBride.
Conductess—Mrs. Fern Green.
Associate Conductess—Mrs. Minnie Edwards.

The retiring worthy matron, Mrs. Enid Trowbridge, will act as installing officer and Miss Ethel Edwards as marshal. The joint installation of the Masons and Eastern Star will be public on Dec. 27, in the Masonic hall.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Gardner, Sunday, Dec. 3, a son.

R. M. Suttle was a business caller in Clinton and Hallsville Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Pomberton and Mrs. Ralph Buchanan of Clinton entertained the C. I. C. class of the Methodist church of Kenney at the home of the former in Clinton. After a six o'clock dinner the guests attended the Clintonia theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rybolt and Mrs. Reed Persinger were shopping in Clinton Tuesday.

NEIGHBORS DO A GRACIOUS ACT

"Shower" Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shadows.

Findlay, Dec. 8.—The people of Union neighborhood opened their hearts on Thanksgiving Day, and gave Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shadows a shower in the nature of two dozen live hens, forty cans of fruit, potatoes, honey, apples, lard, butter, clothing, etc., a whole wagon load. The teacher and children of Union school caught the spirit and filled a basket to overflowing for them. Mrs. Shadows is able to sit up, after a long siege of pneumonia.

Fred Bixler and family have moved to Michigan City, Ind., where Mr. Bixler is employed in a car repair shop.

Mrs. Amanda Carlan has been entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Frank Boyd, and granddaughter, Dorothy Boyd, of Salem.

T. M. Kelley and family have returned from a visit to Danville and Champaign with relatives.

Miss Wilma Koeppe, the new chiropractor, is making her home with Mrs. Mary Braden.

H. S. ENROLLMENT.

The enrollment on Dec. 1 at the high school is: Freshmen, 28; Sophomores, 23; and Seniors, 10; total, 61.

Attorney Paul Pogue of Chicago is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pogue.

Floyd Holding has opened an army store in Findlay.

A son, Clifford Eugene, was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Snuffin.

Miss Ruth Newby has resigned as clerk at the Taylor drug store.

William Dodman is now able to sit up a part of the time, following a severe illness.

The Loyal Girls of the Christian Sunday school will have a food sale and bazaar at Clark's Cafe Saturday.

LOCATES AT LITCHFIELD.

Dr. Charles F. Pauly, late of Canajoharie, N. Y., visited Findlay friends recently. He is a veterinarian and has decided to locate at Litchfield.

Earl Wright shipped a carload of cattle to Chicago Monday.

MARRIED.

Friends of Jess Scott, well known C. and E. I. conductor, will be interested to learn of his marriage to a Mrs. Jenkins of Marion, Ill., on Saturday, Nov. 19. Mr. Scott's first wife, Maude Behymer-Scott, passed away last May, and he and his two children, Evelyn and Darwin, have been living at Marion.

The relatives of the late Ezekiel Braden returned to their home in Ohio, Monday night.

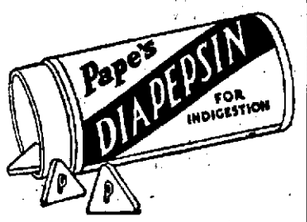
Mrs. Hazel Evans of Chicago is expected home soon to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

H. W. Huser visited with his daughter, Mildred Husser, in Salem, over Tuesday night.

INDIGESTION !!!

UPSET STOMACH, GAS, GAS, GAS

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief



Instant relief from sourness, gases or acidity of stomach; from indigestion, flatulence, palpitation, headache or any stomach distress.

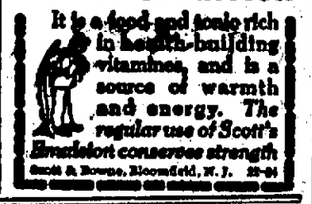
The moment you chew a few "Pape's Diapepsin" tablets your stomach feels fine.

Correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless! Any drug store.

PROTECTION

Many avoid coughs, colds, bronchitis, or other winter ills, by protecting the body with the consistent use of

Scott's Emulsion



It is a food and tonic rich in health-building vitamines, and is a source of warmth and energy. The regular use of Scott's Emulsion conserves strength

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TUSCOLA WOMAN GOES TO HOSPITAL

Bone Broken Some Time Ago Fails to Heal.

Tuscola, Dec. 8.—H. H. Kirkpatrick, superintendent of the Tuscola public schools, returned from Chicago Wednesday, after having placed Mrs. Kirkpatrick in a hospital in that city, where she underwent an operation for the resetting of one of the bones in her arm. While driving in northern Indiana last summer Mrs. Kirkpatrick had both the bones in one of her arms broken just above the wrist, in an automobile accident. One of the bones had knitted and healed up nicely, but the other had failed in that respect, the ends of the broken bone having healed in a measure without knitting together. It was necessary to open the flesh on her arm and give the bone the necessary surgical treatment to insure its uniting.

She has with her as nurse a relative who is a professional, and at the time Mr. Kirkpatrick left Chicago, Mrs. Kirkpatrick was doing nicely.

GOOD RAINFALL.

A good rain fell here beginning at about midnight Wednesday and continuing until daylight. There were also some showers during the day Thursday. According to the official gauge kept by Edward C. Bailey, there was a total of three-quarters of an inch of rain.

WELCOMED.

While the rain made the roads slippery and the streets very sloppy and nasty and also stopped the corn husking by those who are not done that work, the rain was welcomed by a great many people who are short of water. There has been a great deal of complaint in this vicinity of the failure of wells and cisterns during the late summer and early fall months. The showers that have come from time to time have helped the situation as to cistern water, but not since the heavy rains of last spring, has there been sufficient rainfall to start the water courses underground from which the wells are supplied. The water for live stock on many farms is being hauled.

SHIPPING STOCK.

The Tuscola Shipping association through its agent, Elmer Hall, shipped three cars of livestock to the Indianapolis market Thursday. Roy Helm also shipped a car of stock from Camargo at the same time.

W. A. Fullerton was a Thursday visitor in Decatur.

Rev. I. M. Hoel and Otho Story of the Deep Water Ice company, were Thursday visitors in Atwood.

Miss Mary Hall was in Decatur Thursday.

Mrs. Percy Jones went to Salisbury, Mo., Thursday for a visit at her former home.

The ladies of the Tuscola Lutheran church will hold a market in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Saturday, Dec. 9.

Mrs. James G. Dearduff is quite sick at her home in the east part of town.

No Soap Better —For Your Skin— Than Cuticura

Sample each (Soap, Ointment, Talcum) free of Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. T, Malden, Mass.

How Fat Actress Was Made Slim

Many stage people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that she reduced steadily and easily by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription and now, by taking Marmola Prescription Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right. All good druggists sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at one dollar for a case, or if you prefer you can secure them direct from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. If you have not tried them do so. They are harmless and effective.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Open House in Toyland

SATURDAY Santa Claus will keep Open House in Toyland. Every little tot is invited to make their wants known to him. Since his arrival a week ago he has met and talked with hundreds of little boys and girls, and has sent their orders into his factory. From this it seems that the Christmas trees are sure to be filled with toys and good things on Christmas morning. He offers the following list as a few of the interesting toys that can be found in his house of many wonders.

Mechanical Toys—
Dare Devils—50c.
Walking Porters—50c.
Rollo-Chairs—65c
Horn-pipe Dancer—75c
Yellow Taxicab—98c
Sail Boats—25c, 50c, $1.25
Wind-up Boats—75c, $1.00, $2.50, $5.00, $5.50.
Steam Boats—$2.50 and $8.
Electric Trains and Tracks —$5.50, $7.00, $8.50, $10, $13.50 and $30.
Wind-up Trains—$1.75, $3.25, $4 and $5.
Railroad Tunnels—$1 and $2.
Humpty Dumpty One Ring Circus with tent—$10.
Other Circus outfits—$3, $5 and $6.50.
Hook and Ladder Trucks—$3.50.
Smaller size trucks—$1.50, and $1.75.
Friction Automobiles:
Roadster—$1.50.
Coupe—$2.50.
Sedan—$2.75.
Puzzles—
Box of 3—25c.
Box of 6—50c.
Box of 12—$1.25.
Metallophones:
8 note—60c.
10 note—85c.
12 note—$1.00.
18 note—$1.50.
Air Rifles—$1, $3, and $3.25.
Chemcraft Sets—$1.50, $2.50, $3.00, $5 and $10.
Aluminum Tea Sets—50c, 75c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.
Pewter Tea Sets—75c, $1, $1.50, $2.75 and $4.35.
Painted Tea Sets, with tray —$1, $1.25, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, and $3.75.
Aluminum Baking Sets — 35c, 75c, $1 and $1.50.
Little Mothers' Kidibake Sets.
With five pieces Fryware—$2.00.

Gifts for the Home

BAVARIAN CHINA—It will be gratifying to know that Bavarian China is again available, and here we announce a 100-piece dinner set in a lovely pattern at the low price of—$45.

HAVILAND DINNER SETS—Folks who are in search of a precious and worthy gift will find the famous Haviland dinnerware to qualify and do what no other ware can approach.—$140 to $225 for 100-piece sets.

SILVERWARE—Rogers 1847 silverware, 26-piece sets for $22 to $35. Set of half dozen knives and forks $7.50 to $13. Half dozen spoons, $3.15.

GLASS OVENWARE—Pyrex and Fry Glass Ovenware is something that every household should have. Pieces from 75c to $2.

ALUMINUM UTENSILS—Aluminum is a gift of the gods to the cook in the American home—nothing will please the cook quite so well as aluminum. Pieces as low as 49c, then up to $7.

FIRELESS COOKERS—Our Domestic Science Cookers as a gift to the home are in a class by themselves. You'll profit by a gift of this character. Priced from—$25 to $42.

STEAM COOKERS—Cook under pressure of steam and do an excellent job. An economy every home should be acquainted with. —$35.

TABLE LINENS—A two-yard cloth and a half dozen napkins, all linen, $11.75 to $15. A four-yard cloth and a dozen napkins, for $23. The napkins are all 22-inch.

BLANKETS—If you are in quest of a Blanket Gift, there's no chance of better values than are offered here at prices from 59c to $22.

WHITTALL RUGS—Here is the peer of all domestic Wilton Rugs —no better rug is made in the world, therefore no better investment. If the home has a place for a rug 9x12 feet, the rich gift—an Anglo-Persian for —$135.

ORIENTAL RUGS—Rich, luxurious, romantic—all are woven into the Oriental rug by hand. At least come in and see what wonders there are to be had.

RAG RUGS—Is there a place in the home for a quaint, colonial oval rag rugs? We have a rare assortment of values that will make excellent gifts to the home.

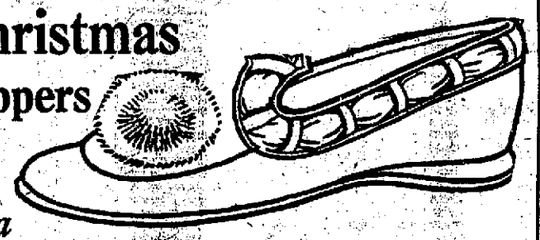
DRAPERIES—Curtains and Shades selected with care now, will be ready in time for the Christmas festivities in the home. There are REAL advantages to be had in the Drapery Stocks at Linn's.

VICTROLAS—The gift that is so versatile that no matter what or how many different tastes there are in the family, the Victrola can suit them all when it comes to music.

PIANOS—the gift of lasting sentiment—we are sure we have the instrument that will best fit into the family budget. Our responsibility in the sale of pianos begins after the sale is made.

RECORDS AND ROLLS—Victor Records and Player Rolls are gifts that evoke sentiment in favor of the giver. A large and complete stock is ready for Christmas shoppers.

Christmas Slippers



In a Special Sale— 99c Pair

Who isn't glad of the chance to save money on Christmas Gifts? This sale of seasonable, serviceable comfort slippers offers you the opportunity to economize. Broken lots—yes—but every pair here is ready to give comfort to some dear friend.

Ladies' fur trimmed felts with leather soles and heels in wine, gray, black, brown, and green.

Buckskin comfys with soft soles and felt linings.

Men's leather everetts in black and brown.

Boy's felt everetts with leather soles and heels.

Many excellent values in children's with soft soles, or with sturdy leather soles.

Mostly small sizes in women's—a few large ones. All sizes in Men's.

Gifts for His Cuddly Highness

IF HE CAN help it no one in the house is going to receive more attention than His Babyship—and we all agree that he is right. When sister, and brother, aunt, uncle, grandmother and grandfather add their love to that of Mother and Dad for the latest arrival it's no wonder he expects and demands so much. We make you welcome in the Children"s Department, Second Floor, with practical things:

If He Is Betwen 6 Months And 1 Year Old

Rattles and all kinds of baby toys, 25c to $2.95.
Slumber Bags to keep him warm—$2.95.
Elderdown Kimonos for $3.50.
Knit or Silk Jackets from $1.25 to $3.95.
Knit Caps for the baby boy or girl, $1 to $2.95.
Creepers in colors or white, $1.50 to $2.50.
Silk Buntings and Carriage Robes $3.95 to $15.
Sweaters and Leggings, $2 to $4.95.
Silk Boots and Knit Bootees, 85c to $1.50.
Nursery Chairs, $2.95.
Comb and Brush Sets, Baby Record Books, 85c to $3.50.

These For One, Two, Three and Four-Year-Olds

All kinds of Bedtime Dolls, 69c to $2.95.
Rubber Balls for 59c and 75c each.
Sand and Bath Tub Toys, 59c to $1.50.
Walking Ducks, 75c and $1.
Bed Time Story Books, $1.
"Flip," the Monkey, $1.25.
Silk Hose at $1 the pair.
Dainty Dresses for $3.95 to $10.
Gingham Panty Dresses at $1.95 to $6.95.
Cap and Sweater to match, $6.95.
Boys' Wash Suits from $2.50 to $6.95.

Six to Ten Year Old Boys and Girls Will Like These

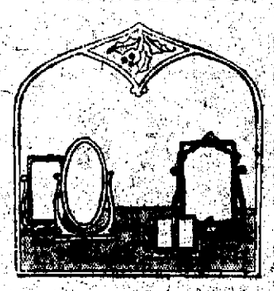
Bath Robes in Wool or Corduroy .... $4.50 and $4.95
Jap Crepe Kimonos for Girls are $1.50
Rain Capes, very practical, are $4.95
Sweaters, styles for boys and girls .... $3.00 to $10.00
Girls' Dresses .... $2.50 to $10.00
Every girl wants a Wool Middy, ours are $4.95
Wash Middies are also appreciable gifts .... $1.50 and $1.95
Winter Tams for the girls from .... $1.00 to $1.95

—Second Floor, Center

Beautiful Gift Ivory

SATURDAY A SALE OF 200 PIECES, HERETOFORE PRICED UP TO $4 EACH, INCLUDES ALMOST EVERY PIECE OF TOILET WARE—CHOICE $1.50

Carved Easel Picture Frames $1.39 each



YOU have seen the identical likeness of these frames priced in a regular way at $2 and $2.50. The frames are cleverly carved and finished in old gold. Get one of these frames to go with the photo you are giving for Christmas. 5x7-inch, 7x9 inches, 7x10 inches and 8x10 inches.

—Main Floor, East Aisle

Give an Oriental Rug as a gift to the home.

Munch a Piece of Candy While Shopping

CANDY, especially good candy, is one of the most invigorating and revitalizing foods you can eat. When one is shopping and the feel of hunger strikes you, try a piece of

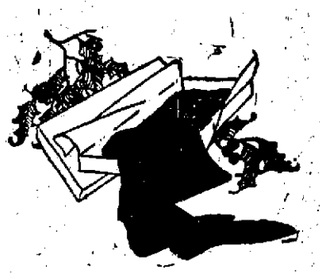
NESTLE'S SWEET CHOCOLATE ALMONDS

OR

NESTLE'S SWEET MILK CHOCOLATE

You can buy a half dozen 5c bars bars for 25c or three 10c bars for 25c
A box of 24 five cent bars for $1
A box of 12 ten cent bars for $1
One pound block of plain or almond 60c

—Main Floor, Main Aisle



Christmas Hosiery

of High Fashion and Enduring Quality

OUR Christmas stock of Martha-4-Foot Hose has arrived, each pair put up in a beautiful Christmas box, all ready to send. Martha-4-Foot hose are so made as to give the wearer a service no other hose will do, for the tops are so good they will out wear four feet. Come in and see them and compare them.

—Main Floor, Fourth Aisle

PIGGLY WIGGLY

All Over the World

Rumford Baking Pdr.	25c TIN	20c
Red River Potatoes Very Fine Quality	2 BU. BAG	$1.55
Whipped Cream Choc. Fresh and Fine	5 LB. BOX	$1.10
Navy Beans Best Hand Picked Michigan	5 LB. PKG.	43c
1922 Almonds Thin Paper Shell	PER LB.	35c
DEL MONTE Sliced Pineapple In Heavy Syrup	LARGE TIN	39c

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FAME CHURCH WILL GIVE BENEFIT PLAY

To Present "Bashful Mr. Bobbs" At Moweaqua.

Moweaqua, Dec. 8—The young people of Fame church will present "The Bashful Mr. Bobbs" at Rebelin's hall next Saturday night, for the benefit of the church. The cast of characters follows:

Katherine Henderson—Velma Osborn.
Frederick Henderson — Harley Eversole.
Mrs. Wiggins—Bessie Suppes.
Obadiah Stump—Leo Wiant.
Frances Whitaker—Ruth Seifert.
Rosalie Otis—Cleo Hill.
Robert Bobbs—Harold Eversole.
Jean Graham—Pauline Bassler.
Marston Bobbs—Ralph Wheatley.
Celesta Vanderpool—Mildred Wiant.
Julie, her maid—Gladys Fathauer.

ANNUAL BAZAAR.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Christmas bazaar and bakery sale Saturday, Dec. 9, at W. E. Corrington's store. Sale opens at 10 a. m. and the bazaar at 2 p. m. Phone your orders to Mrs. Shride or Mrs. Stults.

FUNERAL OF GERALD MANGER.

The funeral service for Gerald Manger, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Manger, of near Walker, was held at one o'clock Wednesday at the home. Rev. J. M. Cross officiated. Music was furnished by Mrs. Louis Gordon, Miss Clorda Inches, Dr. F. D. Pratz and Ray Kirk, accompanied by Miss Alleen Sims. Interment was at Taylorville.

Mrs. J. W. Wise of Katy, Tex., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pistorius and family of Carlinville have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holtmeyer.

The Queen Esther circle will meet next Monday night at seven o'clock with Mrs. Claude Vollmer.

Mrs. Blanche Ousley Auld of Chicago was here on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan Stroh visited her sister, Mrs. Eva Rhoades, in Edinburg this week.

Mrs. C. P. Gaskill is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Stroud, in Decatur.

SHEILA MO CLUB.

Mrs. Ibra Adams was hostess to the Sheila Mo club Tuesday. Mrs. Henry Peabody of Stonington and Mrs. Frank Moore of Assumption were present. Plans were made for a Christmas party.

Miss Helen Day was in Assumption Tuesday evening.

Mr. Gaines of Millikin university spent Sunday in the Williams home.

George Dobson returned to his work at the University of Illinois on Sunday.

Miss Clarissa Day of Normal university was home from Wednesday until Sunday.

B. F. Hudson and Joe Gregory are attending the International Stock Show at Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Booker and children of Illiopolis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindhorst are moving into the Forbes property, west of the railroad. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bilyeu moved from there into Mrs. H. A. Pratt's property on South Main.

Mrs. Glenn Adamson was hostess to the New club on Tuesday. Delightful refreshments were served.

Miss Lois Frazee returned to the University of Illinois Monday.

GOOD LECTURE.

Prof. H. A. Bone of Normal university made an excellent talk on "The Public School" in Ribelin's hall Tuesday evening. All parents should have heard it. Solos were sung by Mrs. R. W. Snyder and Mrs. C. R. Williams and the sixth grade sang. Prof. Bone was entertained in the Hickman home.

BANKERS' CONVENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Snyder are attending the bankers' convention in Chicago.

Elmer Marxmiller and children of Edwardsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Standley and family Sunday.

Cecil Rawlings, teacher at the Younger school, is sick at his home near Windsor.

John Stump has returned to St. Mary's hospital in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smock and daughter Oneta have moved back from Vandalia.

Miss Hazel Baker of St. Louis spent the week-end at home.

Miss Helen Hammond spent the week-end at her home in Oconee.

FORMER OREANA WOMAN IS DEAD

Oreana, Dec. 8.—Word was received here last week of the death of Mrs. Oscar Browning at her home in Twin Falls, Idaho. She was formerly Miss Sadie Scott of this place.

The Girls' Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. A. P. McIntosh Sunday afternoon. Miss Ethel McConnell had charge of the program.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Justis, Sunday, Dec. 3, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moothart at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, Saturday, Dec. 2, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sutton returned from their honeymoon Saturday. Mr. Sutton left Sunday evening for Chicago, where he is attending the School of Osteopathy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown of Bloomington visited from Thursday until Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pensinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pensinger, Mrs. Ida Litchenberger, Harry Litchenberger, Bruce and Orville Pensinger, all of Decatur, were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Litchenberger.

Mrs. Nannie Giffin and daughter, Miss Ona, of Decatur, spent Thanksgiving with L. E. Bezzer and family.

A. Johnson and family of Decatur, Leonard Johnson of Decatur, Alfred Babcock and family were guests of Albin Johnson and family Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. E. McClelland and children of Moweaqua have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kirby.

Virgil Elkins, who is attending the University of Illinois, spent the week-end with his parents.

LOVINGTON BAZAAR IS POSTPONED

Lovington, Dec. 8.—The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church has postponed its bazaar and evening lunch to Tuesday, Dec. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clore of Pontiac are here visiting their son, H. H. Clore, and family.

CLUB MEETS.

Mrs. W. H. Atchison entertained the members of the Tuesday club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Les Murphy is confined to his home with illness. He has been bedfast the last week.

Joseph Stooks has returned from Florida, where he has been the last few weeks.

Peter Lux, an aged resident of Lovington, is seriously ill at his home here. He has been in poor health the last year.

Mrs. Floyd Garret and daughter Ruth of Decatur are here.

The teachers and officers of the Methodist Sunday school met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Coon Monday evening.

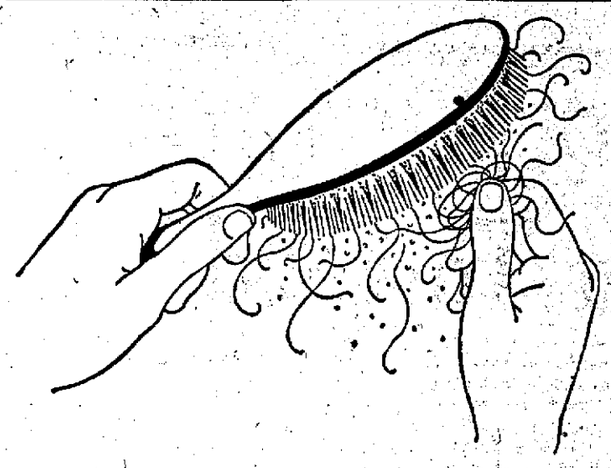
T. E. Pargeon is erecting a new bungalow on his lots on West State street. The property will be for rent.

TO CALIFORNIA.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Davenport are planning to leave within the next week for various points in California, where they will spend the next few months. They will also visit in Texas before returning home.

Mrs. Sarah Gordener is in Arthur visiting Mrs. Moss Dixon and family.

Eleanor Walmsley returned Tuesday from Chicago, where she had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coon.



DON'T LOSE ANOTHER HAIR!

35-cent "Danderine" will Save Any Man or Woman's Hair—Delightful Tonic—See Dandruff Go!

Only fools let hair fall out and dandruff stay. Neglect means a bald spot shortly. A little "Danderine" now will save your hair. This delightful tonic cleans the scalp of every particle of dandruff, tightens the hair-root pores, so the hair stops coming out and so the vitalizing oils, which are the very life and strength of the hair, can not ooze away.

Danderine is not sticky or greasy. It has made weak, sick, neglected hair strong and healthy for millions. Your comb or brush is warning you. Hurry to any drugstore and get a bottle now. Don't wait!

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Join the crowds of Ever-Ready Charge Account shoppers coming to this friendly, cheerful Christmas store. Actual ready cash is not needed. You pay by the week here in little, unnoticeable amounts. Beautiful styles for men and women. Easy terms to suit you. We never charge extra for credit.

NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR ALTERATIONS

WOMEN
Stunning New Suits **$29.75** up.
Exquisite New Dresses, **$19.75** up
Elegant New Coats, **$27.50** up.
Plush and Fur Coats, **$32.50** up.

Boys' and Men's Sheep-Lined Coats
Good warm coats, the kind that will keep you warm in coldest weather. Best quality and at most moderate prices.

MEN
Custom Service Suits, **$26.50** up.
Ulsters and Overcoats, **$29.50** up.
Men's Pants, **$2.98** up.
Boys' Two-Pants Suits, **$4.98** up.

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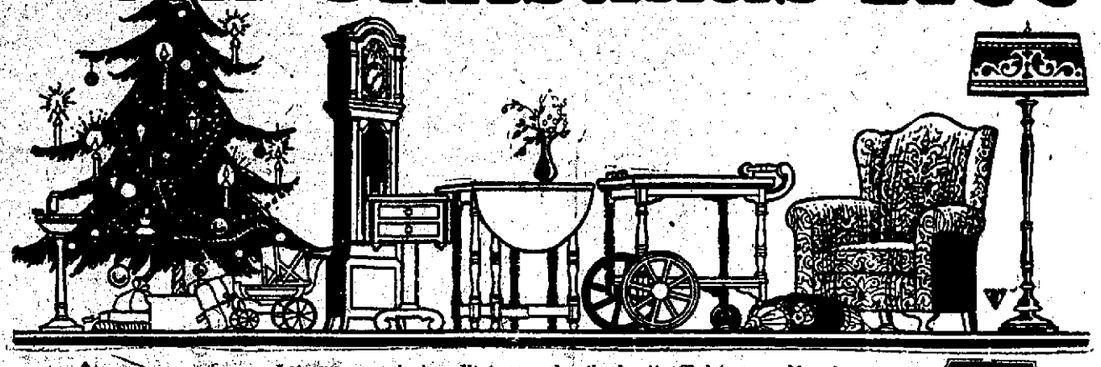
Let Credit Help Fill Your Christmas Tree



Let our convenient credit terms solve the knotty Christmas problems! You will be amazed at the wonderful Christmas gifts to be found on our floors and delighted when we explain we will make delivery of them upon a very small down payment and, in many cases, as little as $1 per week. Come and get the kind of gifts you will be proud to give—and then pay for them next year as convenient.

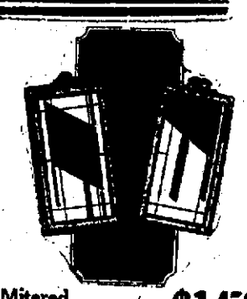
Bridge Lamp at..... $9.50

Handsome new Bridge lamps with wrought iron standards and artistic shades, complete for but..... **$9.50**

$1 Delivers It.

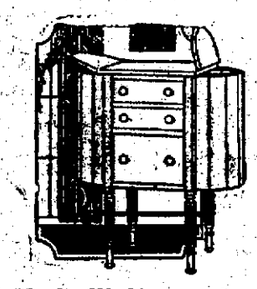
Three-Piece Combination Tapestry Suite, $167

Imagine the delighted surprise of the whole family to receive a Christmas gift like this for the home. Three magnificent pieces as illustrated, with spring arms, spring backs, spring edges and with those comfortable Marshall spring loose cushions. Upholstered in a wonderful grade of tapestry in a beautiful two-tone effect as shown. Convenient Credit Terms and a Very Low Down Payment.



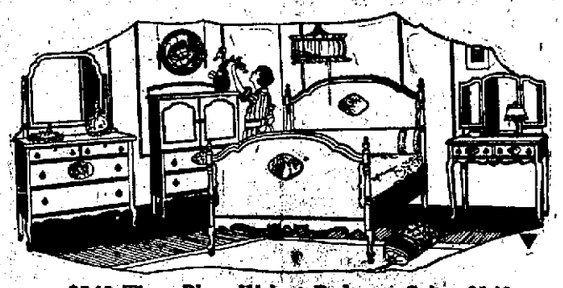
Mitered Mirrors..... $14.95

This is somtehing that will make an unusually fine Christmas gift. Your choice of a large variety of these artistic mitered mirrors with beautiful poylchrome frames at this specially low price. Convenient credit terms, of course.



Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet at.. $17

Here is a wonderful gift for wife or mother. A beautiful Martha Washington sewing cabinet like cut, in genuine mahogany at this extremely low price. Delivered for a very small down payment.



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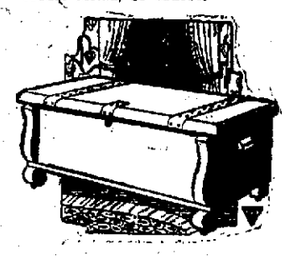

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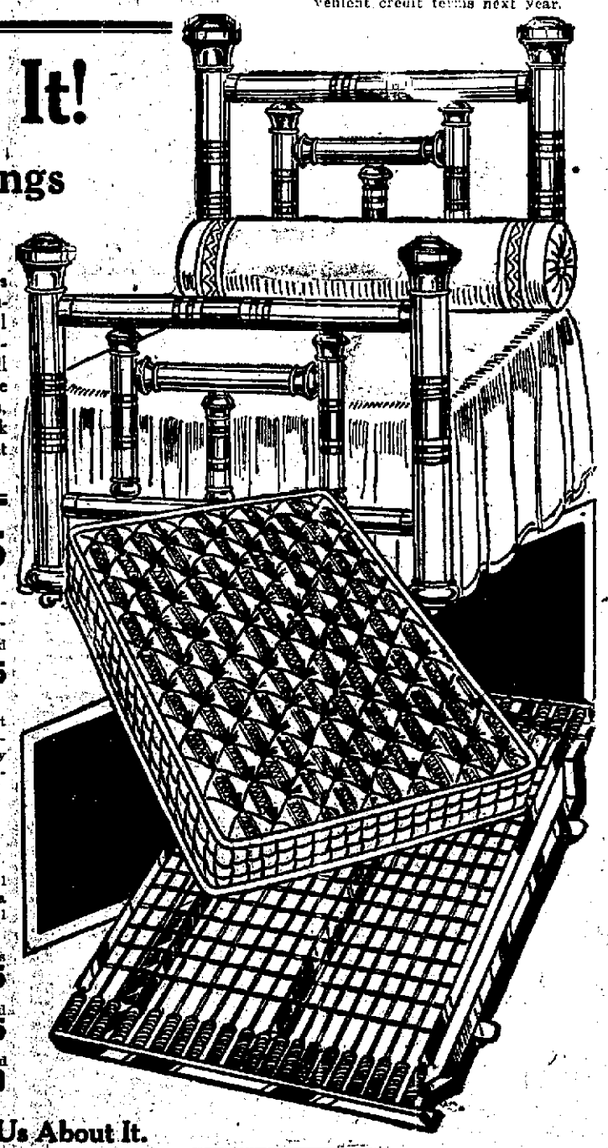

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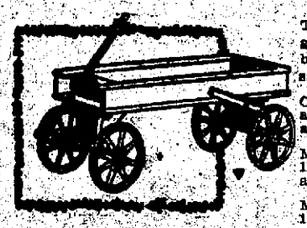

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The New Constitution

SHERMAN SAYS NON-PARTISANS LEAD OPPOSITION

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8—Interests in Illinois allied with the National Non-Partisan League are attempting to defeat the proposed new constitution, former United States Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman of Springfield told the Executive Board of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce representing 104 cities, at a dinner Thursday night at the Union League Club.

"The opponents to the proposed new constitution may be roughly divided into two groups— the stand pat conservatives and the radicals. The constitution does not please either of these groups, but for different reasons," Senator Sherman said.

THE TWO SIDES.

"The conservatives are against it because it is too radical and the radicals are against it because it is too conservative. The conservative opposition is individual. They are honest in their declarations of opposition and are satisfied with stating their real reasons.

"This is not true of the radical opposition. The only organized effort to defeat the constitution originates among the radicals and centers in the Public Ownership League of America at 127 North Dearborn Street, Chicago. The real reason those people are against the new constitution is because their ideas of government are not written into it and they hope if they defeat it to obtain another more to their liking at some time when the example of Russia is not so vivid in people's minds.

CHARGES MADE.

"But they are not disclosing this fact. They are doing everything in their power to arouse the antagonism of every class by false and misleading statements. They hope to accomplish their purpose by making the poor believe that the constitution is framed for the benefit of the well-to-do, and telling the well-todo that they will have to pay more taxes; by alarming the farmers by statements that the constitution is against their interests and will burden them with additional taxes and by stirring up labor to believe that it is framed in the interest of land owners and corporations, and that courts are given arbitrary powers to oppress them.

"The Public Ownership League attempted to get the constitutional convention to provide for the removal of all debt limitations in order that the state and municipal governments might enter upon an orgy of public ownership at the taxpayers expense, not only of the public utilities which may be bought under the present constitution but of everything from grain elevators to slaughter houses.

LOST PROVISION.

"It is because they did not obtain this provision that they are now opposing the constitution.

"The strongest thing that can be said in favor of the proposed new constitution is that both extreme radicals and extreme conservatives are against it. The constitution should take a sane middle ground avoiding conservative stand-patism on the one side and radical theories on the other and that is just what this constitution does."

W. B. M'KINLEY DECLARES FOR NEW BASIC LAW

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8 — Justice Warren W. Duncan, of Marion, in a letter to George W. Hogan, of McLeansboro, member of the constitutional convention, today declared himself in favor of the proposed new constitution.

"It contains the good things of the old constitution as well as the new propositions that are so necessary to this progressive age," Justice Duncan said.

McKINLEY FOR IT.

Senator W. B. McKinley also came out strongly for the proposed new constitution in a letter addressed to Justice Orrin N. Carter of the supreme court, Chairman of the General Committee favoring ratification of the new constitution.

His letter is in line with the endorsement given by United States Senator Medill McCormick.

In his letter to Mr. Hogan Justice Duncan says: "The real question for the voters should be, is the new instrument better than the old, and not as to whether or not the new one is our ideal of a constitution. No man in Illinois, perhaps, will ever have submitted to him his own ideal of a constitution in every particular."

WARRENSBURG MAN URGES UNBIASED CONSIDERATION

Warrensburg, Ill., Dec. 7, 1922. Editor Review: — As the time draws near to vote on the proposed new Constitution for the State of Illinois, the differences of opinion as to its merits and demerits grow in volume and expression. This is as it should be only there should be more of it. More people should be taking a lively interest in this very important document, for the reason in case of adoption it will become the basic law of our state for probably a generation or longer.

It is unfortunate that the new draft is not more decisive and more clearly convincing of its merits over the Constitution we now have. It is unfortunate that there should be left sufficient doubts of its superior qualities as to afford any sufficient reason for questioning it in that relation by a very considerable number of our citizens, not including the purely selfish or radical elements within our borders.

It is indeed a compliment to the framers of our present Constitution to find that after a half-century, over one hundred select men from all parts of the state were unable to draft a constitution sufficiently superior to the old one as to prove conclusively that the Constitution of 1870 is, as claimed by many, clearly out of date. Their predecessors must have builded well.

We are supposed to have made much progress in all departments of human endeavor during the last half-century; to have learned much in the science of popular government and to now be shackled by an out worn constitution. The proposed new draft does not reveal such progress to the extent that many supposed it would.

ARTICLE 7.

As might be expected Article 7, of the new Constitution seems to be the rallying ground for most of the opposition and discussion we hear. It speaks in terms of money—a language that at once interests all. It concerns a substance, or its equivalent, which so many want and comparatively few possess to any considerable extent. The fact however does not allay interest or relieve anxiety.

This Article apparently is one of the high points of elasticity so much desired by those wanting a new constitution. Most of us were not aware of any considerable amount of property either tangible or intangible, that should necessarily escape taxation under present revenue laws if they were impartially applied and enforced. There seemed to be no fault in the law—it lay elsewhere. Would the new law be more effectively enforced.

We are told by those supporting the New Constitution that the provision made therein for the passage of a state income tax law does not necessarily imply that such a law would follow its adoption. There is simply provision made for such law should the money be needed. It has been the observation and experience of most tax payers that the privilege of passing new additional tax laws is all that the average state legislature wants—it will do the rest.

The powers that be, having failed under the present constitution to uncover much of the so called intangible property in the state for purposes of taxation, have in the new draft provided for the taxing of the income from said property, evidently thinking it will be easier to find the egg than the hen that laid it. This may appear logical to some.

THE TAX SYSTEM.

Deviating from the subject somewhat, may we not ask why every voter in this, or any other state, should not pay a direct tax to his government. In many cases it would be very small but would it not promote better citizenship. He is provided with a home, protection of person, property and privileges. His country will educate him, look after his health and in many cases take care of him in adversity.

Our present tax system puts a premium on indifference and idleness and a penalty on industry and thrift. Again, as to an income tax. Why should, as we now have it, one man having an income of, say, one thousand dollars a year pay an income tax, while another having an income ten times as large be exempt simply for the reason he gets his from a different source.

We are told that Article 7, of the New Constitution has special advantages for the farmer and mechanic and to just what extent, if any, it is difficult to determine. It provides for no tax on agriculture implements owned by the farmer, and tools owned and used by the mechanic.

They are to receive, what might be called a deferred dividend, by way of reduction of their present taxes when the taxing of the income from intangible property is in full force and operation. The tax money the farmer and mechanic is now paying will not be needed. Considering the number of votes involved this appeal on behalf of the New Constitution has apparently a slight political flavor. The state income tax provided for in the proposed new draft will probably succeed and substitute for any reduction of the present property basis for taxation.

SEES TROUBLE.

Article 1, Sec. 3, in part, is thought by many to be a mischief maker and a potential source of wrangle and discord. Our schools are now very often a fertile field for senseless strife leaving a feeling of bitterness that slowly heals. This Article might increase the latitude for trouble and not accomplish the object doubtless in the minds of Convention—to carry into the schools the spiritual and moral teachings of the Testaments.

Article 3, Sec. 23, in part shows "red" to inhabitants of Cook County. In some respects we can not very well blame them as it is not easy to reconcile some of the provisions with our scheme of representative government. The New Constitution deems it best to put a partial check to further legislative activity from that aggressive section. Perhaps it is a step toward state preservation as a whole, and to preserve a social and economic balance in the years to come. Downstaters are not inclined to dispute the wisdom of this arrangement.

Th delegates to the Constitutional Convention have passed on to the voters of the state the results of their work for our consideration and final decision on Dec. 12. It is to be, or not to be, the basic law of our state for perhaps another half-century or longer. Perhaps it will be well to keep an open mind until the time comes to cast our ballot; to get all the information we can from unbiased and unselfish sources, and use the intelligence in voting that we are presumed to have by virtue of the right of franchise.

UNDECIDED.

M'GINLEY WILL SPEAK SUNDAY

Unable to Get Here for Saturday Night Meeting.

The appearance of William McGinley of Chicago, former Decatur man and state representative from this district, to speak against the proposed new state constitution has been postponed from Saturday night to Sunday afternoon. Officials of the Decatur Trades and Labor assembly have received a message from McGinley stating that owing to some bad train connections, he would be unable to reach Decatur in time to speak Saturday night.

He stated he would be on hand for Sunday afternoon so the meeting has been set for 2:30 o'clock and the place will be the same as first announced, the circuit court room. This will be an open mass meeting and the speaker will debate the question with anyone desiring to meet him.

OPEN MASS MEETING.

All line of organized labor here are making a thorough fight against adoption of the proposed new code in the election next Tuesday. Monday night, an open mass meeting for all union railroad men of the city is to be held in the Vic and Fritz hall, Eldorado and Jasper streets, to discuss the code.

Also on Monday night, representatives from the Decatur Trades and Labor assembly will go to Niantic to conduct an open mass meeting and talk against the adoption of the proposed law. The three to go from Decatur will be Attorney James A. Henson and Emil Reinhold and Ernest La Rosae, president and secretary respectively of the Trades and Labor assembly.

BETHANY MAN HEARS DAUGHTER BY RADIO FROM FT. WORTH

Bethany, Dec. 8.—A party of seventeen listened to a radio concert Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Logan, the interest being centered in the broadcasting at Fort Worth, Tex.

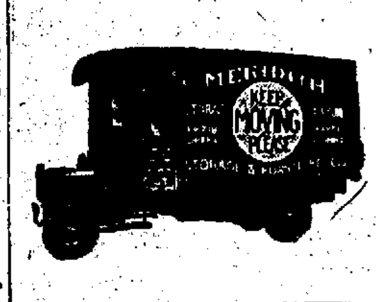
Mrs. Della Crowder Miller, principal of the school of expression in the Texas Woman's college, gave readings. Mrs. Miller, who is a former Bethany girl, is the duaghter of J. H. Crowder of this place and her father who is almost eighty-one years old, was one of the most enthusiastic listeners Thursday night.

GREETED FATHER.

Mrs. Miller just before she started her reading said:

"Hello, father at Bethany: When I was little you told me stories; tonight I'm going to tell you a story by radio."

At another time she said: "Hello Orville." Orville is her son in Bloomington, Ind. Mrs. Miller will spend the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crowder.



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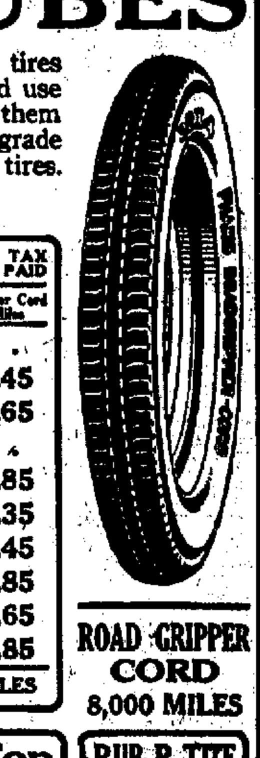

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Toy China Tea Sets, special Saturday ... 60c

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Toy Wash Sets, consisting of large size fibre tub, 2 fibre pails, clothes rack, wringer and wash bench. Special Saturday only ... $1.50

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Mt. Pulaski, Dec. 8.—Dr. and Mrs. C. E Hildreth gave a seven o'clock turkey dinner Wednesday evening to a number of their friends. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing cards. Mrs. L. F. Myers won the women's first prize. Mrs. C E. Merriman the consolation. The men's first prize was won by Harry Martin, consolation by L. F. Myers. Mr. and Mrs. George C. Newcomer were awarded the booby prizes. Each guest was presented a Christmas favor.

On this Friday evening Dr. and Mrs. Hildreth and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sams will entertain the Fortnightly club.

LIBRARY CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. E. O. Mayer and Mrs. J. Will Smith entertained the Library club Tuesday afternoon at the former's home on North LaFayette street. In a guessing contest the first prize was won by Mrs. Ottmer Wagner, second prize by Mrs. Thomas Duff, and the booby prize by Mrs. G. E. Hausoman. A rising vote of thanks was tendered the committee and all who helped make the "Bachelor Daddy" performance a success.

BRIDGE WHIST CLUB.

Mrs. Troll Turner was hostess to the Bridge Whist club on Tuesday evening at her home on South Washington street. Mrs. Forest Van Hook won the club prize and Mrs. Fred Roth the consolation prize. The guest prize was won by Mrs. Walter Schafer and the consolation prize by Miss Amelia Benzinger. Miss Katie Jenner captured the booby prize. Delicious refreshments were served.

BRIEF NOTES.

On Wednesday evening of next week Mrs. Merle Watson and Mrs. Arthur Scroggin will give a shower at the home of Mrs. Scroggin for Miss Florence Capps.

Mrs. J. B. Gordon gave a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Ferdinand Myers of Chicago. Cards were the entertainment of the evening.

F. E. Danner returned home Wednesday from a business trip to Mississippi.

George J. Smith went to Mississippi the first of the week on a land deal.

Mayor F. W. Reinders went to Arkansas Wednesday to look after his farm.

Mrs. Paul E. Boldier will give a one o'clock luncheon to a number of her women friends on Tuesday of next week.

Mrs. C. R. Gilchrist of Lincoln visited her father, William Purviance, and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Myers returned to their home in Chicago Thursday.

Rain fell here all night Wednesday and all day Thursday.

ASSUMPTION.

Mrs. Sam Picker, who has been in New York City for several weeks, arrived home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. LaRochelle are attending the International Livestock show in Chicago this week.

The Illinois Central railroad is giving the depot and out-buildings a coat of paint this week.

Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Rivard, Sr., are entertaining the former's brother, Rev. Father Rivard of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Corzine are spending a few days in Chicago.

Miss Hattie Lovering and Mrs. Leavitt were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Ford Hoffman of St. Louis spent Tuesday in this city.

There will be a general meeting of the Assumption Womans club at the home of Mrs. Silas Shafer Saturday afternoon.

Miss Alta Hisk was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Little Mary Elizabeth Cushing is absent from school on account of illness.

John Behl, Sr., is ill at his home in this city.

Dr. H. C. Lacharite spent Tuesday in Decatur.

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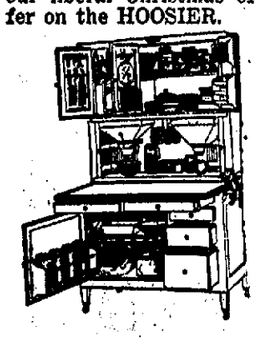

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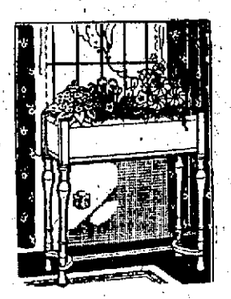

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Coaster Wagons $4.95

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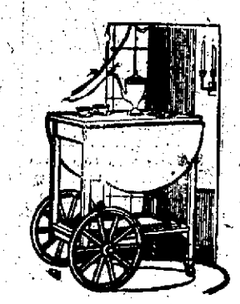
These have snappy red enameled bodies with yellow trimming. Will make a big hit with any boy on Christmas morning. Get yours at this special low price for today and tomorrow only. Convenient credit terms.

Reed Doll Carriages ... $3.25

What little girl wouldn't go into raptures over a gift like this. Exactly as pictured, in ivory, grey or brown and with noiseless rubber tires.



Mahogany Tea Wagons $19.85

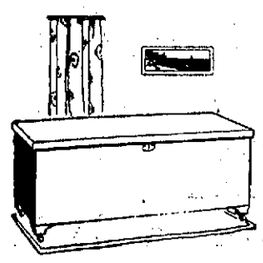
Here is a splendid gift for wife or mother. Convenient drop leaf tea wagons of genuine mahogany and with removable tray. It's an unusual "buy" at this Reorganization Sale price of $19.85, so place your order early. Convenient credit terms.

Art Metal Table Lamps $9.95

Choice of several different and beautiful new designs in art metal tabel lamps with stained glass shade, complete with silk cord extension. One of these would make a fine gift and the Reorganization Sale price is very low indeed.

Convenient Credit Terms

Note These Reorganization Sale Savings!



Matting Chest $3.98

This well constructed matting chest is made of genuine bass wood and is absolutely moth and dust proof. Size 26x16x14 inches, specially priced for the Reorganization Sale at $3.98.

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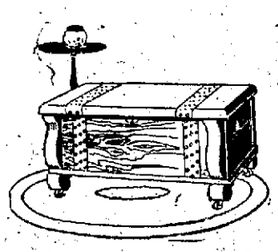

Cedar Chest $18.65

Think of being able to get a Colonial design, genuine red cedar chest, copper trimmed, at such an extremely low price as this. Absolutely moth and dust proof and size 45x20x18 inches. Special at $18.65 for our Reorganization Sale.

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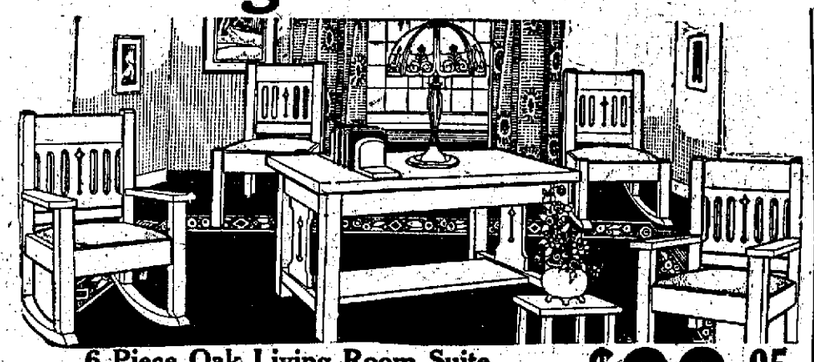

6 Piece Oak Living Room Suite $22.95

Just imagine! A complete living room suite as shown, at this sensationally low price. This suite is of solid oak throughout, finished in a rich, dull waxed brown fumed finish. Consists of large arm rocker, arm chair, sewing rocker, reception chair, library table and jardiniere stand. All chairs have comfortably padded seats, upholstered in brown imitation leather. The complete six pieces at this remarkably low price .....

TERMS $2.05 CASH, $1.00 WEEKLY

This Style $1.89

Well built dining chairs, similar to illustration, finished in beautiful golden oak, special in our Reorganization Sale at but $1.89 each. Terms if you want a complete set of four or six.

This Style $2.80

A splendid grade of American oak dining chair with full box seat construction and upholstered in imitation Spanish leather. Golden oak finish. Special for our Reorganization Sale at $2.80 each and terms if you want to order a complete set of four or six.

$175.00 3-Piece Bedroom Suite, $81.85.

Think of being able to get a three piece bedroom suite in the charming Colonial design like this, exceptionally well constructed of American walnut, finished in a beautiful walnut finish at this sensationally low price. This three-piece suite consists of a large 42-inch dresser with plate mirror, size 24x28 inches, a full size bed and a 32-inch chiffonier with mirror as shown. These three pieces complete for but $81.85. You can also get a triple mirror dressing table to match this suite for the slight additional cost of $23.60. Just one of the many sensational values in bedroom furniture featuring our Reorganization Sale. Convenient Credit Terms.

This 2-Tone Old Ivory Bedroom Suite, $195.

Here is one of the many charming new bedroom suites which we are featuring in our Reorganization Sale at almost unheard of low prices. This one is exactly as pictured, finished in a rich, two-tone old ivory that is charming indeed. All drawers have beautiful gold finish pulls. Suite consists of full size bed, large dresser, convenient chifforetta and semi-vanity dressing table as shown—the entire four pieces for but $195.00.

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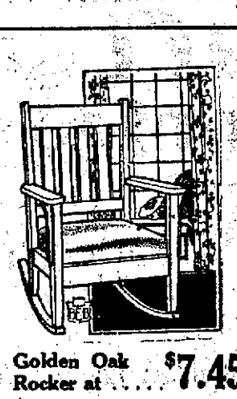
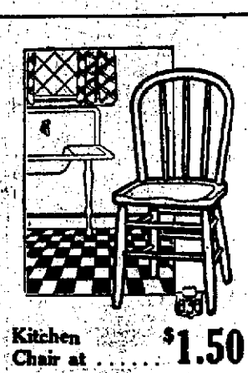


Golden Oak Rocker at $7.45

Here's a real bargain, in a low priced rocker. Made of well seasoned wood, in a rich golden oak finish, with seat of artifical brown Spanish leather. Credit terms if you wish.

Porcelain Top Kitchen Table .. $5.95

Here's a table that will help keep your kitchen spotless. Has a genuine porcelain top that is so easy to keep clean. The table is made of seasoned hardwood, finished in a beautiful white enamel and has utensil drawer with heavy nickel pull. Special for the Reorganization Sale at $5.95.

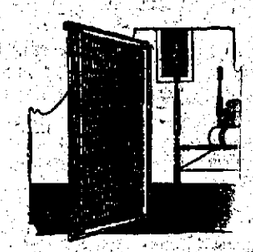


Kitchen Chair at $1.50

One lot of these sturdy kitchen chairs in handsome golden oak finish are in the great Reorganization Sale at this extremely low price of but $1.50 each. Only a limited quantity, so order early.

$230 Eight Piece Mahogany Dining Suite, $140.

Here is one of the remarkable values in dining furniture which our great Reorganization Sale affords the people of Decatur and vicinity. This complete eight-piece suite, consisting of large buffet, without mirror, handsome extension table and six chairs with blue leather slip seats, the complete eight pieces delivered to your home for but $140. This is a regular $220.00 suite but we've priced it for the Reorganization Sale at but $140.



Resilient Spring at $3.95

Genuine diamond shape, silent link fabric spring, finished in a beautiful grey enamel. For wood or metal beds and in any of the popular sizes at this low price.

Continuous Post Bed $5.45

This beautiful continuous post bed, full size, with 2-inch posts and ¾-inch fillers in your choice of white enamel or Vernis Martin finish, special for the Reorganization Sale at but $5.45.

45-Pound Mattress $4.95

This mattress has a thick layer of cotton felt on top, has roll edge and is covered with durable art ticking. Special for the Reorganization Sale at but $4.95.

Luxurious 3-Piece Tapestry Suite, $148.70.

Here is just one of the many sensational values in living room furniture which you can secure in our great Reorganization Sale. This wonderfully luxurious living-room suite, consisting of 80-inch davenport, with loose cushion and full spring construction, and a large chair and rocker to match, the complete suite of three pieces upholstered in a splendid grade of tapestry at this sensationally low price. This same suite can be had in rich velour, in rose, mulberry or blue at a slight advance to cover the difference in the cost of the velour covering.

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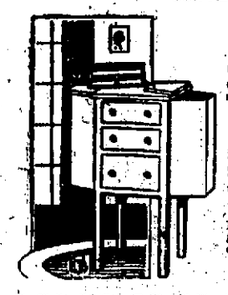

Solid Mahogany Sewing Cabinet $17.50

Do not confuse this with similar sewing cabinets in veneered wood. This one is solid mahogany throughout and is in the popular Martha Washington style with removable tray and handy end compartments with lids as shown. It's a great buy for Christmas, so place your order today!

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If you have no Account here open one today or tomorrow.

BACHMAN'S

One Block North of Transfer Station

Decatur's Largest Furniture Store

A Splendid Gift!

Telephone Set at $4.95

Here's something that is needed in every home with a telephone. Mission Arts and Crafts period design and your choice of either golden or fumed oak finish. Place your order early as this low Reorganization Sale price is sure to rapidly deplete our stock of these.

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Local Druggists Guarantee Rheuma For Rheumatism

What chance does any sufferer take when Rheuma is guaranteed to banish rheumatism, lumbago, gout and kidney ailments, or money back?

Why not investigate this offer? Talk to Decatur Drug Co about it Rheuma must drive rheumatic poison from the system, bring swollen joints back to normal, and relieve all agony, or it costs nothing.

People so crippled with rheumatism that they could not walk have been absolutely freed from the iron grasp of the demon, rheumatism, with the Rheuma treatment A few hours after the first dose Rheuma begins to dissolve the uric acid and drive it from the body through the natural channels.

Everybody can afford Rheuma—it's not expensive, and money back if not entirely satisfied

Sore Throat or Mouth

You should keep the throat and mouth clean and healthy. Any disease that attacks the canal through which must pass the food we eat, the beverages we drink and the very air we breathe is a serious matter. Why neglect Sore Throat or Sore Mouth when TONSILINE makes it so easy for you to get relief? TONSILINE is especially prepared for that one purpose. TONSILINE does its full duty—you can depend upon it. Keep a bottle in the house—where you can get it quickly when needed. 35c. and 60c. Hospital Size, $1.00. Your druggist sells TONSILINE.

Getting Rid of a Stubborn Cough is Childs Play Now

Make the Medicine Yourself at Home It's Cheap—but You Can't Beat It.

If you want to take care of that bad, hang on cough and do it in a few hours, better get one ounce of Parmint (double strength) and mix a half pint at home.

You can do this in two minutes by adding a little sugar and enough water to fill a half pint bottle.

You'll travel the world over before you get a medicine that will act so surely and quickly on the mucous membrane of the nose and throat. It halts the inflammation, the tickling sensation stops with the first spoonful, the heavy breathing goes and clean membrane, free from irritation and mucus, follows.

For Catarrhal conditions such as mucus droppings, clogged nostrils and watery eyes, it won't disappoint—ask for Parmint (double strength) Speak plainly so that the druggist will know exactly what you want.

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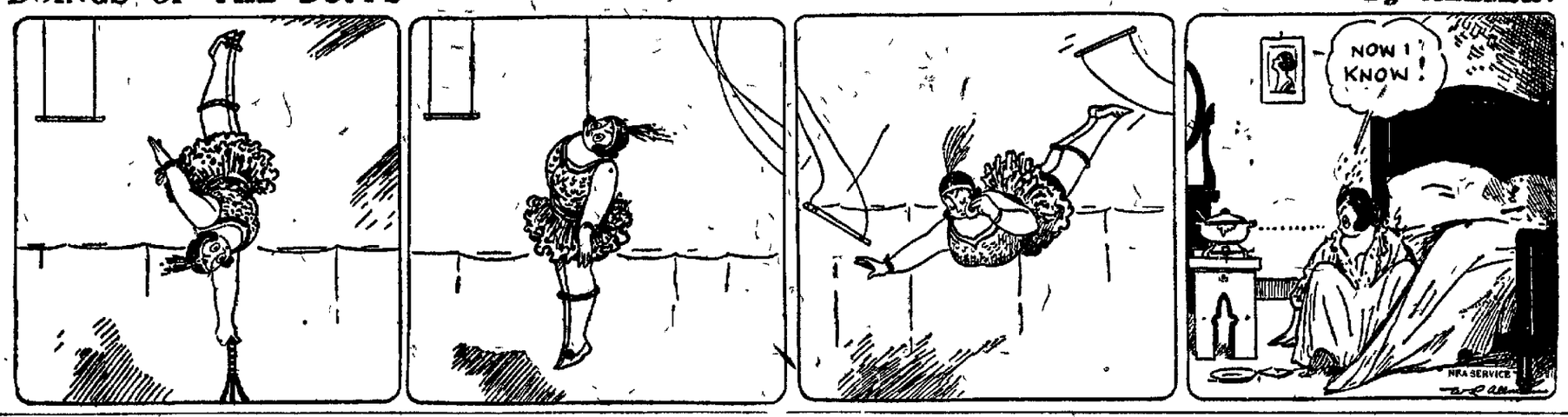
is a Prescription for Colds, Fever and LaGrippe. It's the most speedy remedy we know, preventing Pneumonia.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

A RARE BIT. By ALLMAN



SHIP FOUNTAIN TO MADRID, SPAIN

Mueller F. and F. Product to Fashionable Hotel.

The Mueller Fountain and Fixture company shipped a fountain over the Wabash Thursday to Madrid, Spain, to be installed in what is said to be the most fashionable hotel in that city. This local firm is unusually busy now filling orders for new fountains and part of the force is working several hours overtime almost every night on rush orders.

MRS. MARY ORR BURIED AT ARTHUR

Arthur, Dec 8—The body of Mrs. Mary Orr, the aged mother of Mrs. Adele Pugh, who for many years made her home here with her daughter, was brought here for burial Tuesday evening The body was laid to rest in the city cemetery Wednesday morning

Born, to M E Breene and wife, Sunday, Dec. 3, at the Macon County hospital in Decatur, twins—a son and a daughter Mr Breene is the agricultural teacher in the high school

G E Clendenin was in Chicago several days last week at the bedside of his brother Charles, who is a patient in a hospital in that city

ENTERTAINED FIFTY.

Mrs Victor McDonald, Mrs F C Phillips and Mrs C H McDonald were hostesses to about fifty guests at the home of Mrs Victor McDonald on Lincoln street Saturday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers

Miss Hope Summers, a student at Northwestern, gave a number of readings which were a delight to the guests Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs Summers Miss Summers, wife and daughter of Senator Summers of Washington, and Miss Lena Hawkins of Arcola were out-of-town guests.

Miss Mildred Doty, a former teacher in the grade school of this city during the years 1920-1921-1922, passed away at her home in Atwood Tuesday morning at eleven o clock Miss Doty has many friends in this city, a number of whom will attend the funeral

A number of the pupils of Miss Alice Roe gave a recital at her home on Park street Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Olive Blower, daughter of Sam Rice, who has been ill for several years is very low. Miss Marie Arbuckle is nursing her

The Literary and Music division of the Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Fannie Davis Tuesday afternoon. Miss Helen Brougher supervisor of music in both the grade and high schools sang a number of songs by Carrie Jacobs Bond

The Missionary society of the Church of Christ met with Mrs Victor McDonald Wednesday afternoon Mrs Blanche Cambridge was the leader.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Frank Seaman on South Vine street Wednesday afternoon

FORMER DELAND GIRL MARRIED

Deland, Dec 8—Word has just been received here of the marriage, Nov. 30 of Miss Beulah Chenoweth of Charleston, Ill to Arthur McCall, also of Charleston The wedding took place at the bride's parents' home on Thanksgiving day. Rev P P Carson the Methodist pastor, officiated.

The bride was born and reared in Deland. She is a pipe organ player. Mr McCall is a teacher in Champaign The couple are now living in Champaign.

PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs. G R Hursh are attending the stock show in Chicago

Mrs C T. Tribg and son and Mrs J. C. Bickel are in Chicago.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. C. Miner at Monticello Thursday.

Mrs Mary Bowsher is ill

The picture, "The Stream of Life" will be shown Dec 17 at the Methodist church.

The people of this village who are ill are all improving

Bachman's Big Christmas Offer

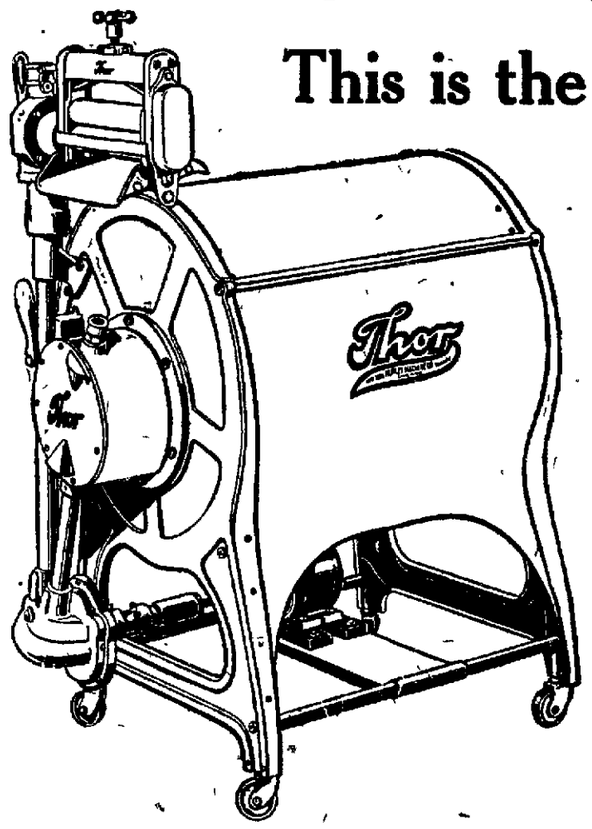
STOP? READ! THINK!

Five Dollars NOW Puts the New

THOR or HAMILTON BEACH $5

In Your Home

Nothing More to Pay Until 1923



This is the New Thor-32

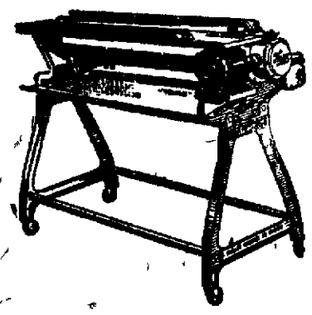
Greatest of Washing Machines

The new Thor-32 is the final step in the perfecting of the home washing machine. It is the biggest step forward in the history of the washing machine business.

Look at its beautiful lines. Remember, it is made entirely of metal—with the wonderful all-metal ball bearing swinging wringer and non-rusting "Luminoid" cylinder—10 sheet capacity. The new curved design gives it a 60% greater washing capacity than others.

And while this great offer lasts you get a splendid machine for only $5 down—just a five dollar bill—not another cent until 1923.

The Only Automatic ELECTRIC IRONER With 2 Speeds



Self oiling—no belts or chains—open end—steel ball bearing roll — wide open shoe, making it easy to clean. You merely press the button, the motor does the work.

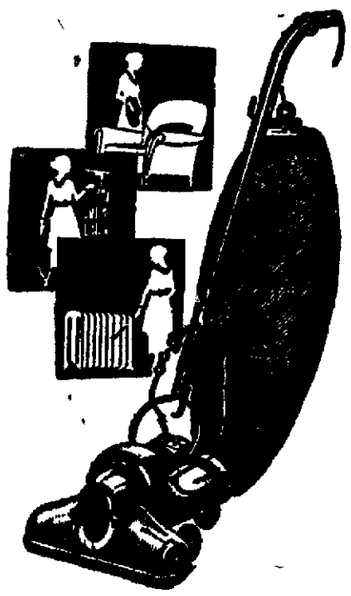
THE BLUE RIBBON

HAMILTON-BEACH VACUUM CLEANER

"The Ideal Christmas Gift"

NO GIFT can more fittingly express the spirit of Christmas giving than a Hamilton-Beach Vacuum Cleaner. It will end forever the tedious futile drudgery of trying to keep a house clean with broom and dust cloth. It will end forever the inefficiency of old fashioned cleaning methods—for it conserves time, strength, vitality and youth, instead of wasting them.

So moderately priced is the new Hamilton-Beach that only a few dollars places this ideal Christmas gift beneath the tree, and only a few cents a day soon pays for it.



This Is Bachman's Big Xmas Offer to Everybody in Decatur

COME IN OR PHONE - - - - MAIN 210 OR 211

Electric Toasters . . $4.00
Electric Irons $5.00
Electric Curling Irons $4.00
Electric Blanket . . . $8.00
Electric Grills $5.25

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The New Christmas COLUMBIA and VOCALION Records Now On Sale

Don't let that rash continue to annoy you

What a miserable little biting sting there is every time you touch that eruption! Resinol Ointment is what you want. Thousands have proved its unusual healing powers by using it for the most stubborn cases of skin affection with prompt, beneficial results. It soothes while it heals.

Resinol Shaving Stick is a boon to tender skins! Resinol products at all druggists.

Resinol

BREAK UP COLDS

Get a box of BULGARIAN BLOOD TEA. Flush the poisons from the bowels. Hot Medicinal Tea stimulates and refreshes your system. Take it hot to help kill colds. Sold by druggists everywhere.

DECATUR DRY GOODS CO

"PRACTICAL GIFTS"

FOOTWEAR

WOMEN'S $6.50 NEW FOOTWEAR $3.98

Newest styles in Patent, Satin, Thee Ties, Combination Kid and Patent and Suede Oxfords. All sizes and widths. Pair, $3.98.

$4.50 Wom. Low SHOES $2.98

Top grade. Patent, Kid and Satin strap styles and oxfords; large selection; all sizes.

CHOICE WOMEN'S BOOTS $1.98 to $4.95

A new shipment. Styles for women and growing girls. All style heels.

$2.98 MISSES' ALL DRESS BOOTS $1.98 ALL SIZES

Patent with grey or champagne tops; also all brown or black; all sizes, 11½ to 2.

$1.98 Infant's Shoes $1.39

Patent with high lace tops; red or field mouse tops; small heels; sizes 4 to 8.

"PRACTICAL GIFTS" ARE FELT SLIPPERS

$1.25 Women's House SLIPPERS 79c

Fine quality, all colors; orchid, purple, maroon, etc.; ribbon trimmed; all sizes

$1.50 MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS 98c

Good grade, all wanted colors, felt uppers with leather comfy soles; sizes 6 to 11.

$1 CHILDREN'S BOOTIES

Size 5 to 8 65c | Size 8½ to 11 75c | Size 11½ to 2 85c

In Red, Purple or Blue With Fancy Cuffs

$4 MEN'S DRESS SHOES $2.98

Brown calfskin, English or blucher style, Goodyear sewed soles, rubber heels; sizes 6 to 11. Pair, $2.98.

$3 BOYS' SHOES

SIZE 10 to 13½ $1.69 | SIZE 1 to 6 $1.98

Choice of brown or black, English or broad toe styles, also ball. taste.

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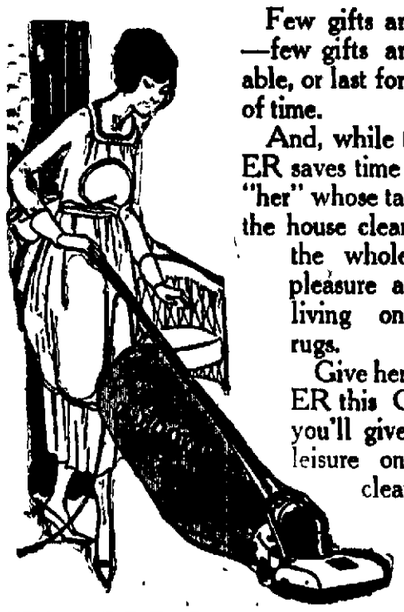
A Word To Husbands—

Show Her That You Really Do Care, and Give Her

The HOOVER for Christmas

IT BEATS . . . AS IT SWEEPS AS IT CLEANS



Few gifts are so practical—few gifts are so serviceable, or last for such a length of time.

And, while the HOOVER saves time and labor for "her" whose task it is to keep the house clean, it brings to the whole family the pleasure and health of living on ever-clean rugs.

Give her the HOOVER this Christmas, and you'll give her hours of leisure on all future cleaning days.

The HOOVER Saves Rugs

The HOOVER gently beats out from the very depths of rugs, all tramped-in, imbedded, gritty dirt. It also sweeps and suctions away all unsightly clinging litter, and thoroughly cleans and renovates by air.

Let us show you how The HOOVER combines the three essentials of thorough cleanliness—how it actually saves your rugs by removing all wearing grit.

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FINE QUALITY DRESSES OF

Velvet, Canton Crepe Satin Canton, Matelasse, Jacquard Crepe Twill Crepe Satin Back Canton, Duvetyn, Lace etc., in Black, Navy Brown, Carmel and various other wanted shades; coat styles new draped effects, basque models and many others sizes for women and misses at . $18

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BEAUTIFUL NEW COATS OF

Bolivia, Normandie, Superba, Suedine, Velour, Polaire, Silk Plushs, etc. Some with luxurious fur collars, others large self-trimmed collars Shown in brown, navy, reindeer, sorrento, etc. All sizes for women and misses at $18

Included Are Polo Coats with Fitch and Oppossum Collar — Fully Moleskin lined all sizes at $18

To $20 **DRESSES $10**

New materials of Canton Crepe, Lace, Poiret Twill, Matelasse, etc. All the new styles Over two hundred dresses to choose from Sizes for women and misses at $10

$50 "KIT CONEY" **FUR COATS $25**

Full 40-inch length beautifully silk lined, made with large shawl collars, all sizes 16 to 44, at

$100 Marmot Coat $69.50

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WOMEN'S AND MISSES **POLO COATS**

Large Mannish Polos, made with four large pockets and belt Raglan sleeves, heather mixtures well made $9.95

TO $15 GIRL'S COATS

Coats of all-wool Velour, Polaires Cheviots, etc; all colors, some fur trimmed. Fancy backed and pleated models Sizes 8 to 14. $7.95

CHOICE OF THE HOUSE SALE of VELVET AND PLUSH **HATS**

VALUES TO $12

$1.95

INCLUDED ARE METALLIC CLOTH HATS

BEAUTIFUL HATS OF LYONS SILK PANNE VELVET SATIN SOLIEL HATTERS' PLUSH ETC; METALLIC EMBROIDERED FEATHER POM POM AND OTHER NOW WANTED TRIMMINGS ALL COLORS. (Third Floor)

NEW CHRISTMAS REGAL RECORDS, 49c

SATURDAY

Decatur's ONLY Underselling Men's Store CONTINUES TO OFFER *PRACTICAL GIFTS* FOR LESS

"Practical Gift" SUGGESTIONS **"FOR MEN"**

MEN'S 25c **KERCHIEFS** 3 IN BOX **49c**

Large size, cambric hemstitched, three in neat Christmas box.

$1.25 Initial BELTS **65c**

Genuine cowhide, detachable initial Belts in neat Christmas box

MEN'S 35c LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS **24c**

Large pure linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Special, each, 24c

$2 Silk Grenadine AND WOOL CREPE NECKWEAR **95c**

Arriving Daily From Our New York Office

Men's $25 SUITS and OVERCOATS

$17.50

THE OVERCOATS

BELTED AND HALF-BELTED; RAGLANS AND TOWN ULSTERS; GRAYS, BROWNS, GREENS, ETC; HEAVY ALL-WOOL MATERIALS, ALSO FAVORITE PLAID BACKS, ALL SIZES.

THE SUITS BLUE SERGES, FLANNELS, FANCY MIXTURES, CASSIMERES—PLAIN AND STRIPED MATERIALS; SNAPPY YOUNG MEN'S AND CONSERVATIVE STYLES; ALL SIZES.

MEN'S $2 **PAJAMAS 1.45**

Heavy flannelette Pajamas, neatly trimmed, silk frogs, etc; all sizes.

MEN'S $1.75 **NIGHT SHIRTS 1.24**

Neat pink and blue striped flannelette, with military collars; all sizes, 15 to 20.

MEN'S $4 **Sport Jackets 2.95**

Fine quality knitted Sport Jackets, "V" neck style, two pockets, heather mixtures, all sizes.

MEN'S $4 **SWEATERS 2.95**

Heavy Shaker and Rope Knit, slip-over and coat style, combination and plain colors; all sizes.

MEN'S $3 FLANNEL **SHIRTS 1.95**

Fine quality, made with two flap pockets and lay-down collar in khaki and grey; sizes 14½ to 17.

MEN'S $7 SILK SHIRTS $3.95

ONE OF THE MOST PRACTICAL GIFTS TO MEN FINE QUALITY JAP. CREPE, TUB SILKS, ALSO ENGLISH BROADCLOTHS. GOOD ASSORTMENT OF NEAT STRIPED PATTERNS WELL MADE ALL SIZES, 14 TO 17. "WHY PAY MORE ELSEWHERE?"

MEN'S $3.50 SILK STRIPED **MADRAS SHIRTS $1.85**

"GIFT HOSIERY"

75c SPORT **HOSE 55c**

Fine quality, English ribbed wool Sport Hose, heather mixtures; all sizes

35c LISLE **HOSE 24c**

Genuine "B. V. May" mercerized Isle Hose, all shades, reinforced toe and heel; all sizes.

$1.50 SILK & WOOL **HOSE 95c**

Choice of plain or English ribbed, with clocking on sides; all sizes. Special, pair

Men's 45c Wool Hose, 29c

"GIFT GLOVES"

$2.50 DRESS **GLOVES 1.65**

Lined or unlined suede or kid gloves, in grey, brown and tan; sizes, 7½ to 10.

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Fine quality kid gloves, lined or unlined, made with convertible wrist strap; all sizes.

GLOVES 49c

Good quality, heavy knitted Wool Gloves, in grey, brown and black; special

Driving Gloves ...$1.65

BOYS' "PRACTICAL GIFT" SUGGESTIONS

Boys' $12.50 2 Pnts **SUITS AND OVERCOATS $7.95**

Fine quality, all-wool, two pants Suits, good styles; Overcoats are heavy; Ulsters made with belt; real values at $7.95.

$1.50 PONGEE **SHIRTS 98c**

Fine quality, mercerized Pongee; pearl buttons; button collar. Special at 98c.

$2 INDIAN **Play Suits $1.24**

Two-piece khaki Play Suit, with feather head dress. Special at $1.24.

BOYS' $2 **Sweaters $1.98**

Fine grade wool, slip-over or coat style; all sizes. Specially priced at $1.98.

BOYS' $1.25 **Gloves 89c**

Boys' leather Gauntlet Gloves, leather fringe trimmed; lined.

$8.50 Mackinaws Good quality, check, plaid materials; full belted; four pockets; all sizes. **5.95**

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70x84 good and warm, pretty Indian designs — complete with cord and tassels, set, $3.98.

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42x36 fine standard quality muslin, embroidered in conventional designs, each 37c.

$3 RADIUM SILK **Shirting 1.59**

— 36-in.ch pretty striped effects for men's shirts, etc., fast color, yard, $1.59

2.25 Kimona SILKS, YD. **1.49**

36-in wide fine quality Radium Satin — pretty chinese kimona patterns, special, yard $1.49.

$8 CRIB **Blankets 1.39**

Large size "Bunny" Crib blankets, in pink and blue. The $3 kind

75c Embroidered **Scarfs 59c**

— Fine round thread linen — many pretty designs with scalloped edges, 59c.

$2 LACE CENTERS **1.19**

54-in. fine round thread linene lace edging and insertion and lace medallion trimmed, each, $1.19.

$3 TURKISH **Towel Sets 1.98**

— Pretty woven Jacquard patterns, all over effects and pretty borders, bath rug large towel and 2 face cloths, set $1.98

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$5 OAK DESKS AT Fine Oak Desks, with built in black board, large and roomy, well made **$3.98**

$1.50 BLACKBOARDS Germ proof sanitary slate black boards, on frame, well made. Special at **98c**

$1.25 DOLL CRIBS Well made, white enameled, trimmed in gold. Special at **79c**

15c JUVENILE **BOOKS 9c**

HORATIO ALGER AND OTHERS SLOW AND SURE, SHIFTING FOR HIMSELF, BOUND TO RISE, DO AND DARE, CAMP GIRL STORIES—AND MANY OTHERS

$4 DAVENPORTS Nicely upholstered, well made, can be made into a bed. Special at **$2.98**

$10 LARGE DRESSED **DOLLS 5.95**

Genuine Bisque Sleeping Dolls — fully jointed, natural hair and eyelashes, neatly dressed with hat to match special

$3 MAMA DOLLS Genuine "Mama" Talking Dolls, nicely dressed large size, special at **$1.98**

$2 DOLLS BUGGIES Imitation leather, collapsible, rubber tires, good size. Special at **$1.39**

45c SANDSTONE BLOCKS 24c

$2.25 TOOL CHESTS $1.89

35c DOLL FURNITURE, 19c

$2.00—16 PIECE CHINA DISH SETS. **$1.24**

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Christmas Economy Store

THRIFTY "CHRISTMAS" SHOPPERS WILL SURELY BE OUT IN CROWDS SATURDAY TO VISIT THIS GREAT UNDERSELLING "PRACTICAL GIFT STORE" THIS STORE IS NOW A SERIES OF CHRISTMAS SHOPS OFFERING YOU DEPENDABLE FIRST QUALITY MERCHANDISE AT LOWEST IN THE CITY PRICES —REMEMBER ONLY THIRTEEN MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS. STORE HOURS: SATURDAY, 9 A. M. TO 9 P. M.

9 TO 12 ONLY P & G NAPTHA SOAP 10 BARS **38c** No Red Tape No Other purchase Necessary.

50c MULSIFIED COCOANUT OIL **37c**

75c LOVE ME FACE POWDER **53c**

50c PEPSODENT TOOTH PASTE **33c**

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Practical Gift **SWEATERS**

Women's To $6.50 All Wool **Sweaters $3.95**

—Choice of women's and Misses Slipover, coat style or Tuxedo Sweaters, high or low necks with Queen Elizabeth collar and sleeves in all latest solid and combination colors, all sizes at $3.95.

WOMEN'S $10 SILK **SWEATERS**

Made of finest quality — fancy weave silk Tuxedo style, in blk. or navy, a gift to be remembered; price $6.95. **$6.95**

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' **$4.50 SCARF AND HAT SETS**

Fine Angora all wool hat and Scarf to match, large selection of styles and colors. **$2.98**

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' NOVELTY SLIPOVER **SWEATERS**

Values to $4 Fine quality all wool heavy boxed weave, full ass't. of colors all sizes **$2.49**

MAIN FLOOR

Practical Gift **HOSIERY**

Women's $2 Pure Thread SILK **HOSE $1.49**

Choice of French Seam or full fashioned pure thread silk hose, guaranteed first quality in black or Cordovan, all sizes, pair $1.49.

WOMEN'S $2 SILK AND WOOL HOSE — Fine quality Silk and Wool in all wanted shades black and cordovan, all sizes. **$1.59**

WOMEN'S $1.50 **WOOL HOSE** — Good quality all wool English ribbed in black and all heather shades, all sizes. **98c**

WOMEN'S $3 SILK OR WOOL **HOSE** — Fine Quality heavy pure thread Silk guaranteed, full fashioned or Imported English wool hose with hand clocking, all wanted shades and sizes. **$1.98**

CHILD'S $.49c **Hosiery 24c** Buster Brown and other well known brands fine ribbed — all sizes, 24c.

CHILD'S $5c **Hosiery 59c** Fine quality; all wool ribbed hose special pair, 59c.

Practical Gift **GLOVES**

$1 Gauntlet **GLOVES 69c**

— Good quality chamois Suede gauntlet gloves, all wanted shades all sizes.

WOMEN'S $1.50 **GLOVES 98c**

—Choice of 12-button, Mayser's gauntlet Chamoisette Gloves, Duplex and double silk, in all wanted shades and all sizes.

WOMEN'S $2.50 NOVELTY GAUNTLET **GLOVES** — Finest quality Chamoisette — beautiful embroidery cuffs, emb. backs all wanted shades all sizes. **$1.69**

WOMEN'S $3 KID **GAUNTLETS** Fine Imported Kid and Washable Cape leather gauntlets, all wanted shades and sizes. **$1.98**

WOMEN'S $6 LONG **KID GLOVES** Fine quality, 16-button long kid gloves, all wanted shades including black — all sizes. **$3.98**

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Practical Gift **WAISTS**

WOMEN'S $7.50 Novelty Blouses **$4.95**

Fine quality Silk Canton Crepes — New Paisly Silks and other novelty materials; fashioned into all leading newest styles all wanted shades, good selection to choose from, special at $4.95.

WOMEN'S $4 SILK **Pongee Blouses $2.98**

Many styles to choose from — nothing could be more appropriate than a Silk Pongee Blouse as a practical gift, all sizes at $2.98.

WOMEN'S $5 SILK **BLOUSES $2.98**

Novelty Matelasse or Velvet with Spanish Lace combinations in black, navy, brown, all sizes specially priced, $2.98.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' $4 ALL WOOL **MIDDIES $2.98**

Fine all wool Middies, regulation style in all wanted shades, including Red, all sizes 6 to 18 and 36 to 44.

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Practical Gifts **PETTICOATS —AND— PETTIBOCKERS**

WOMEN'S $2.25 VALUE Longette PETTI-BOCKERS **$1.69**

Genuine Longette Plain or Stripes effects, fine high lustre in black, purple, green and other wanted shades, made with double elastic. Fine full cut garments, special at $1.69.

WOMEN'S $1.50 **PETTICOATS 98c**

Fine quality high lustre Sateen, in many wanted shades with fancy flounce bottoms, all sizes.

WOMEN'S $1.25 SATEEN **PETTIBOCKERS**

Heavy quality high lustre Sateen, double elastic, cut full and roomy, specially at **89c**

SILK PETTICOATS AND PETTIBOCKERS. A COMPLETE LINE OF AT UNDERSELLING PRICES CAN BE FOUND ON OUR BUSY THIRD FLOOR AT $1.98 to $4.95

WOMEN'S $2.50 SATEEN APRON **FROCKS $1.98**

Finest quality Sateen or Sateen and Linene combinations; some Cretonns trimmed, neat patterns, special at,

Practical Gifts **FOR INFANTS**

INFANTS' $6.50 ANGORA WOOL SETS **$3.98**

Infants all-wool Angora Sets, consists of Hood, Sweater, Leggins and Mittens, in all wanted shades, specially priced Set $3.98.

INFNTS' $1.50 HOODS AND BONNETS Choice of Silk Bonnets and all wool knitted Hood in large assort. of styles. **98c**

INFANTS 50c ALL WOOL BOOTEES **39c**

INFANTS' $1.50 BATH ROBES Fine quality Eiderdown, neatly ribbon trimmed. 98c **98**

GIRLS' $1.25 **WOOL TAMS** —All wool Tams in many wanted shades knit or Angora finish, 89c. **89c**

GIRLS' $3.50 WOOL NEWEST **Sweaters** Fine grade all-wool, coat or slip over sweater — many wanted shades. **$2.49**

GIRLS' $5 WOOL **DRESSES** Regulation Middy — all wool serge and many other wanted styles, all sizes 6 to 14 years, $5.98. **$3.98**

"TOTS" $1.50 SATEEN **DRESSES** Fine quality Sateen, two piece Bloomer Dresses; neatly emb. sizes 2 to 6 years. 89c. Second Floor **89c**

Practical Gifts **SILK AND MUSLINWEAR**

$3 SILK UNDER-WEAR **$1.98**

Choice of Envelope Chemise, Step-Ins, Vests, in fine jersey, Silk Crepe or Radium Silk, all are neatly trimmed with lace; ribbon and embroidery special at $1.98.

WOMEN'S TO $2 **MUSLINWEAR** —Choice of Aunt French, embroidered and lace trimmed chemise gowns, skirts, etc —special at, **$1.24**

WOMEN'S $2.50 **SILK VESTS** Fine quality Glove Silk Vests, while 100 lasts specially priced for Saturday only at **$1.69**

WOMEN'S $2 SILK **CAMISOLES** — Fine quality Changeable Silk Camisoles — all wanted dark and light shades; all sizes. **$1.45**

$3 "BILLIE BURKE" **PAJAMAS** —Fine quality Flannelette, neat striped patterns, heavily trimmed with Silk Frogs, etc. all sizes. $3.98. (Second Floor) **$1.98**

Practical Gifts

$3 LEATHER HAND BAGS AND CANTEEN BOXES, SPECIAL **$1.95**

CHOICE OF $1.50 IVORY GOODS, LARGE SELECTION **$1.00**

WOMEN'S $1.50 SILK BOUDOIR CAPS, IN MANY SHADES **98c**

$5 IVORY MANICURE SETS, IN LEATHER FOLDERS **$3.98**

$5.00 TOILET SETS, 3 PIECE, POWDER, PERFUME AND TOILET WATER **$2.98**

$2.00 SILK GIRDLES, TRIPLE CORDED FOR DRESSES OR COATS **$1.24**

$1.00 NOVELTY PULLY PRIM APRONS, FINE QUALITY GINGHAMS .. **79c**

$5.00 SILK AND LINEN UMBRELLAS, ASST. OF IVORY HANDLES .. **$2.98**

$6.50 BLANKET BATH ROBES HEAVY QUALITY. (Third Floor) **$4.95**

WOMEN' 35c **HANDKERCHIEFS** — Fine quality Silk Pongee natural color or pure linen handkerchief, special at, 19c. **19c**

WOMEN'S $1.25 **Hand'chiefs** 6 in Box — Handsomely packed, fine lawn plain or emb. **69c**

WOMEN'S 50c **HANDKERCHIEFS** 3/IN BOX Fine quality neatly packed in Xmas box 50c. **39c**

MAIN FLOOR

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

VELVET STYLE IS BEAD BAG RIVAL

New York, Dec. 8—The bead bag of today has a dangerous rival. It is the imported little bag of velvet in some brilliant shade such as turquoise or jade or American beauty. The bright velvet, though lovely in itself, is only a background for a fanciful design in steel beads.

FOUR BRACELETS.

Paris, Dec. 8—Four bracelets on the left forearm is the correct wear today. These bracelets may all be gold, or platinum or silver, but they must differ in design. Moreover, the earrings ought to match the bracelets in general effect, and positively must match the necklace.

LATEST HAT.

London, Dec. 8—The latest hat shown today bears a striking resemblance to an African thatched hut. It comes well down over the face in an exaggerated mushroom. The crown is tightly stretched satin. From midway up the crown hangs a thick row of glycerined feathers, fringing the upper half of the face.

VANITY CASE.

New York, Dec. 8—A square vanity case in gold has a medallion of enamelled rosebuds and forget-me-nots in rose and blue as a frame to the owners' engraved initials. The case is about the size of a purse and swings by a chain from the finger.

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Spasmodic Croup is frequently relieved by one application of—
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SOCIAL NEWS

MANY PRE-NUPTIAL PARTIES ARE GIVEN FOR MISS BENNETT

Honoring Miss Roberta Bennett, whose marriage to A. F. Shafsky will take place Saturday evening at 5 o'clock, a number of pretty parties have been given during the last week. On Thursday, Miss Ruth Staley was hostess to a number of guests in her home for Miss Bennett with a 1 o'clock luncheon. Pink roses, baby's breath and lighted candles tied with white tulle were used in decorating. Miss Anna Louise Griffith of Indianapolis was a guest.

Miss Charlotte Mueller entertained the most intimate friends of Miss Bennett, with a 1 o'clock luncheon in her home, Friday. A large decorated bridal cake formed the centerpiece for the luncheon table. Miss Griffith of Indianapolis, Miss Mueller's guest, was also an honored guest.

Mrs. E. J. Brown will entertain twenty-four guests at dinner in her home on Powers Lane, Friday evening. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock. Out-of-town guests present will be Mr. and Mrs. George Conover of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rothermell of Chicago, Miss Anna Louise Griffith, of Indianapolis, Dan Fuller and Thomas Fuller, both of Chicago, all of whom will attend the wedding of Miss Bennett and A. F. Shafsky, Saturday evening.

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Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, 724 West Prairie avenue, was hostess to a number of guests at bridge in her home Friday afternoon, ten tables being at play. Attractive Christmas decorations were used throughout the house. Following the play, a two course supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Jessie Corzine, Miss Nell Stevens, and Miss Ruth Culver.

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MR. EDGAR H. BACHRACH and son, Henry, are leaving Saturday for Baltimore, Md., to visit Mrs. Bachrach's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Millhauser, for several weeks, and to spend Christmas with them. Mrs. Bachrach and her son will probably go to New York for a short visit before returning to Decatur.

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MRS. C. L. LIEBAU and Mrs. Leslie Dillehunt entertained the twelve tables of bridge in the home of Mrs. Liebau, Thursday afternoon. Baskets of pink roses and yellow chrysanthemums were placed about the rooms. In the bridge play, the first prize was awarded to Mrs. Will Schroeder, second prize to Mrs. Clark McMillen, and third prize to Miss Harriet Parr, with consolation prize going to Mrs. T. B. Jack. The out-of-town guests for the affair were Miss Jesse Moser of Uniontown, Pa., and Mrs. J. Evans of Hoopeston, Ill.

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Mrs. Wesley A. Cherry of Kansas City, Mo., arrived in Decatur Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Laura Hill, 445 South Oakland street, and friends. Mr. Cherry will come Dec. 24, to spend Christmas, after which they will return to Kansas City. Mrs. Cherry was formerly Miss Helene Hill. Her wedding took place last June.

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SEVEN tables of bridge were at play following the 1 o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. Harold Kenney in her home, Thursday afternoon. The color scheme of pink and green was carried out. The first prize was won by Mrs. Joseph Gauger, and the second by Miss Marybelle Price, with Miss Adele Murphy winning the third prize.

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The K. of C. men belonging to Decatur Council 577 entertained with a card party Thursday night in their club rooms. Five hundred and pinochle were played by the sixty guests present. Mrs. Pete Brilley and J. A. McGrath won first prizes in five hundred and Mrs. M. White and P. J. McGuire won consolation.

In pinochle Mrs. Lafayette Schulz and John Walker won first prizes and the consolation prizes were awarded to Mrs. E. Brennan and A. E. Fletcher. The next party will be given Friday, Dec. 15.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rothermel, Dan Fuller, and John Thomas all of Chicago, arrived Friday to attend the wedding of Miss Roberta Bennett and A. F. Shafsky Saturday, and to be guests at the dinner being given by Mrs. E. J. Brown Friday evening.

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Little Miss Maxine Carrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Carrick, 1636 East William street, will entertain ten little girls Saturday afternoon in honor of her seventh birthday.

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The Tirzah club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Whalen 1306 North Walnut Grove avenue. The women planned to go to the Girls' Welfare Home next Thursday afternoon to sew for the Home. The Christmas party with the annual grab bag will be held Dec. 21 in the home of Mrs. Francis Stratman, 1275 West King street. The hostess served refreshments.

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Mrs. Myrtle Dempster, 1775 East William street, was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Coterie club, with all members being in attendance. Mrs Eugene Farmer, Mrs. Frank Travis and Mrs. Clara Davis were guests. In the contest held Mrs Farmr won first prize and Mrs. P. W. Ackles won the consolation. A two course luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Bauch, 1810 East Wood street, in two weeks.

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Eighteen members and two guests attended the meeting of the White Rose club held Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. J. Ruck, 1112 East North street. A two course luncheon was served, the Christmas colors of red and green being carried out with the decorations. Mrs. Frank Wilson assisted Mrs. Ruck in serving. During the afternoon a musical program was furnished by Mrs. V. E. Moore and Mrs. Ira Thompson. Mrs. Glen Bowman and Mrs. H. S. Walther were guests. Mrs. Fred Ohlsen won the club prize, and Mrs. Bowman was admitted as a new member. Plans were made for a public dance to be held in the Vic and Fritz hall, Dec. 29.

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The Jolly Birthday club will meet with Miss Hazel Smith, 560 East Waggoner street, Friday evening.

The members of the T. A. C. club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Cressler, 643 North Water street. Three tables of cinch were at play. First prize was won by Mrs. V. E. Bartlett and second prize was won by Mrs. Will Clendening and third prize was won by Mrs. Harvey Camron. The next meeting will be Dec. 21 and will be in the form of a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Will Clendening, 2000 block North Lowber street.

PERSONALS

Timothy Buckley, 1505 East Main street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Rockford and Rock Island, Ill.

William Mueller of Aberdeen, S. D., who was called to Centralia by the death of his mother, visited friends in Decatur Thursday. Mr. Mueller formerly lived here and was employed at the Walrus Manufacturing company.

Mrs. Catherine Williams, 1028 East William street, who has been ill for some time is now confined to her bed.

John Ecret, 431 East Grand avenue, is seriously ill. Mr. Ecret has been in failing health for several months.

Jack Cooper, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper, 1247 West Decatur street, has been quite sick since Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. White, 1503 North Main street, left Thursday for California, via Seattle, where they will spend the winter.

SHORT COATS FOR EVENING WEAR

The new short coats are so well liked that they are even worn to the theater as semi-dress.

The jarquettes themselves are usually of silver brocade or of an embroidered or brocaded velvet. The dresses are of dark silk with tops that match the linings of the coats. They are short sleeved, straight lined—the simplest possible styles.

Fur trimming is used almost as a matter of course and the fur is usually krimmer or caracul in one of the lighter shades.

KEEN INTEREST IN NOVEL GIFT PLAN

The Review's women readers have been anxiously awaiting the appearance of today's paper, in order that they might read details of The Lingerie Shop's novel Christmas gift to them. The plan is given in full in The Lingerie Shop ad on another page of this issue. You will be richly rewarded for attending this Christmas Package sale tomorrow. $2.95 buys any package, and there is not one worth less than $10 in the entire five hundred. Indeed, one package contains one of our famous $55 silk sweaters, and in another is a beautiful $49.50 negligee. You may be the lucky one who will get one of these packages. Read the ad. Be here early and avoid disappointment.—Adv.

ELECTION LADIES' AID AT MANSFIELD

Mansfield, Dec. 8—The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Ladies' Aid Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bell Ross:

President—Mrs. John Leach.
Vice president—Mrs. James Bien.
Secretary—Mrs. Al Smothers.
Treasurer—Mrs. H. C. Bateman.

Dr. L. E. Clark, who is a patient in the Burnham hospital, Champaign, will be brought home this month, as he is improving nicely since his last operation.

A. J. Pike of Monticello, was in town Monday.

Casey Vaughan, who has spent some time in California, will return home this week.

The plumbing and heating plant is being placed in the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Briley entertained with a dance Saturday evening at their home north of town.

George Beel visited relatives in Forest City, Saturday and Sunday. His mother Mrs. Lillian Beel, accompanied him home for a visit here.

The K. of P. lodge held its regular meeting Tuesday evening and had work in the second degree. An oyster supper was served afterwards.

H. C. Bateman and wife motored to Champaign Tuesday.

SOCIETIES MEET IN MECHANICSBURG

Mechanicsburg, Dec. 8.—The Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. Lewis Bird. A very interesting program was rendered.

The Foreign Missionary society of the Christian church met with Mrs. Frank Darnall, with Mrs. Grace Lobdill as leader. Those present were: Mesdames Johnsives, Garvey, Hattie Holloway, Jesse Mendenhall, Joe McCann, J. M. Crane, Alice Matthews, Catherine Rogers, Jacob Byrline, Flora Morgan, Grace Lobdill, Rollie Darnall, Gertrude Hagaman, Misses Helen Morgan, Katie Beck and Grace Riddle and little Miss Virginia Fullenwider.

Mrs. Sam Farmer, who was operated on Tuesday at St. John's hospital, is getting along nicely.

Ralph Masters of Decatur spent a few days here with friends.

Mrs. William Halford and son Herrick, of Milwaukee, spent several days with rel

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You will be interested in our new prices. We have put a real price on some of the styles and tints of which we have broken lines.

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Our framed pictures make an appreciated gift and a gift which is a lasting gift. We have a dandy new stock at moderate prices and it is no trouble to show you the pictures.

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Perhaps you have a picture which would make an ideal gift. We can match your picture from our large stock of new mouldings and stand frames.

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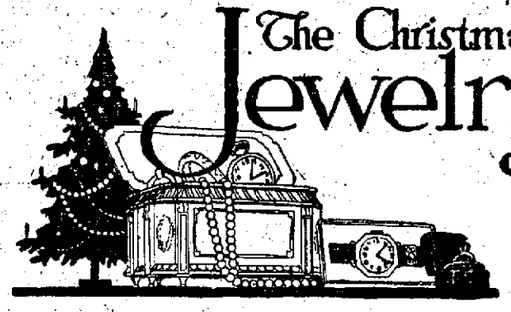
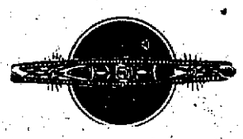
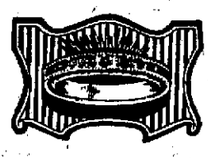
The Christmas Jewelry Store



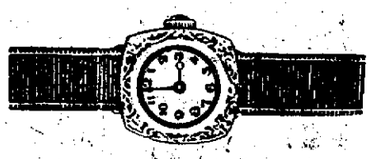
Thousands of useful and beautiful articles of jewelry await your inspection here, thus affording suggestions aplenty to those who wish to give something that will be a permanent joy to its receiver.



Hand Wrought Wedding Rings
—Green, Yellow and White, in Gold and Platinum. These are in the latest designs.



Bar Pins
You will surely appreciate any one of the many Bar Pins we are now offering. All are of the newest mode—all are prettily designed.



Ribbon Watches
—all of the newer shapes—in 18 karat white gold, and Platinum—Range in price from $15 to $200.

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Your Choice $2.95 Per Package

Positively No Package Worth Less Than $10
—Twenty Packages Worth $25—
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Each of these packages contains two or more different articles. In many cases there are as many as a half dozen desirable articles in a package, all worth many times the price quoted for Saturday.

In This Great Collection of Christmas Packages Are—
Blouses *Sweaters* *Petticoats* *Negligees*
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Boudoir Caps *Boudoir Slippers* *Breakfast Jackets* *Gift Novelties*
and many other beautiful and acceptable gift things.

Our Gift To You—
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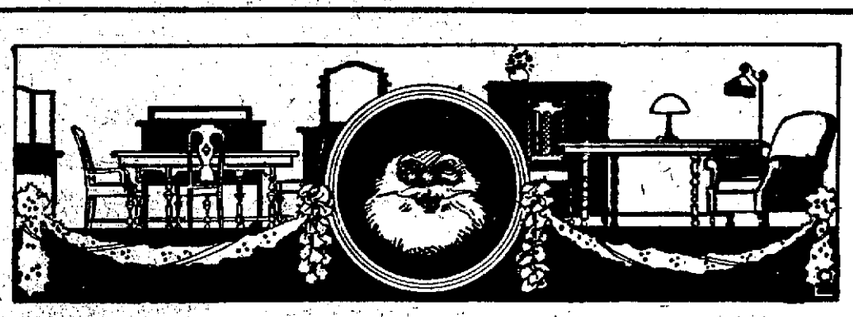

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The CHILDREN'S CORNER

Blue Jay Kills Mrs. Cardinal

Babies Not Yet Able to Leave Nests.

BY MARY SEAMAN.

To kill little chickens isn't all of Blue Jay's crimes. He kills other birds as well as little baby chickens. And it does not matter to him if the birds happen to be some of our very loveliest songsters.

A cardinal and his mate had builded their nest in a big rose bush, close to the big yard. Mr. Cardinal had come there every year for a long time, and each year his family had been raised in perfect safety. It had always been so safe a home that he told Mrs. Cardinal that when he called to her from the elm tree across the way, she might answer him from the nest if she wished to do so, because everybody around there were their friends.

I know Mrs. Cardinal often answered him from the nest when he whistled, because Little Boy has stood close enough to see and hear her.

In spite of all his precautions and care one of the enemies caused a lot of trouble. It was not Big Dog, whose barkings they rather liked. It was not Little Boy because he loved the red birds and would not hurt them for the world. It was not Frisky and Gambol for they were gray squirrels and do not annoy the birds as often as the red squirrels do. It was the wicked blue jay.

One day while the babies were just getting ready to leave the nest Mrs. Cardinal went into a neighboring yard after some dinner for herself. She was weary for she had made many trips that day, feeding those fast growing youngsters. Blue Jay saw her and wicked mischief came into his head. I don't know just how it happened, but Little Boy found her a short time after it was all over. Blue Jay killed Mrs. Cardinal, just as he had killed the little chickens.

The babies were almost ready to leave the nest and Mr. Cardinal managed to take care of them until they were able to care for themselves. Had they been much younger he could not have done it, and they would have died.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

Sprinkle-Blow Arrives

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

"I just thought I'd drop in," he said.

The next person who came to call upon the Green Wizard was Mr. Sprinkle-Blow, the Weatherman. He rode his magical umbrella through the sky until he came about the place where the Green Wizard had his workshop in the tree-tops. Then opening his umbrella, he hung onto the handle and dropped down, as the parachute man does at the circus.

"I just thought I'd drop in," he said as he landed with a thump right in the middle of the room.

The Green Wizard laughed. "You nearly dropped into the soup!" he declared, nodding toward his big kettle nearby. "I wonder how Weatherman soup would taste!"

Then everybody laughed, for Nancy and Nick were there, too.

"That's just it," announced Mr. Sprinkle-Blow, jumping to his feet and closing his magical umbrella with a snap. "That's exactly what I came to see you about. This umbrella you made for me is a dandy, but you see I just can't guide it exactly right. I was wondering if you knew how to make such a thing as a magical airplane?"

"Well, now!" answered the Green Wizard. "I might. But where would you keep it?"

"Up in Bluster Gust Land where I live," answered the fairy Weatherman. "I'd build a garage or a hangar or whatever they keep airplanes in, right beside my house. Oh, there would be no trouble at all!"

"All right then, I'll do it," said the Green Wizard obligingly. "But remember, never throw away your umbrella. Take it with you, for you never can tell what may happen."

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DRAWFUNNIES

Drawings by Bill Holman — Verses by Hal Cochran

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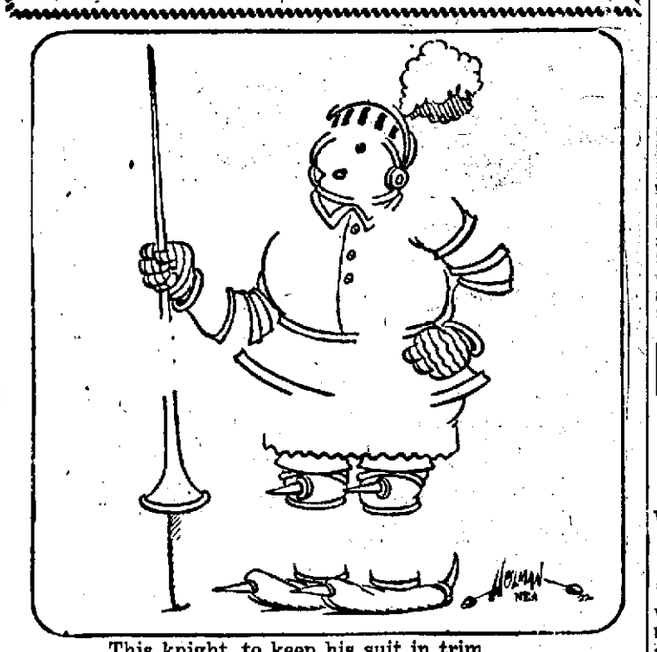
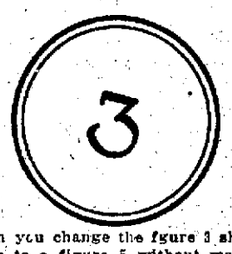


This knight, to keep his suit in trim,
Must oil it, so to speak.
Because his clothes are made of steel,
And rust would make 'em squeak.

A PUZZLE A DAY



Can you change the figure 3 shown above to a figure 5 without making any erasures?

Yesterday's answer:

If five foxes take five minutes to catch five geese, the same five foxes will be able to catch a hundred geese in a hundred minutes. When asked in an off-hand manner, this question usually will bring the answer "one hundred foxes." But if five foxes are catching geese at the rate of five in five minutes, they are catching them at the rate of one a minute, or a hundred in a hundred minutes.

MALLEABLE GIRLS TO PRESENT PLAY

Was Written By Mercedes Pendleton.

Plans to produce an original play written by one of their members have been made by the girls of the Malleable Iron Works. Fourteen of these club girls met in the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday evening and heard the Christmas play of Miss Mercedes Pendleton read. They were so enthusiastic over it that they at once began arrangements to produce it. The girls of this club are all about fourteen years of age.

BASKETBALL.

Two new teams have been formed at the "Y" to play basket ball. There are now about ten clubs and there is going to be much lively competition among them. A tournament is being arranged. Miss Mildred Holmes, the physical health director, is coaching the teams.

SING CAROLS.

The T. M. T. M. club had a business meeting Wednesday night and arranged to sing Christmas carols on the street Christmas eve. They are also planning to send out a Christmas basket to some family who needs it. This club will have its regular supper meeting at 6 p. m. next Wednesday.

HAIRDRESSING.

Hairdressing was the subject before the girls of the Tri-Y club at their regular meeting Wednesday evening. Two hairdressers from the Gushard store were present and using two girls for models demonstrated the proper kind of hairdress for girls of high school age, using the ages up to eighteen. About ten different styles were discussed and illustrated.

Word has been received that C. F. Jackman, who has recently returned from the Bible lands, will be the speaker at the Y. W. C. A. vesper service to be held in the "Y" at four o'clock Sunday evening.

Church Calendar

SATURDAY

The King's Heralds of the St. Paul's Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

The Junior Mission circle of the Antioch Baptist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Crusaders of the East Park Baptist church will meet with Marlette Kelly, 2018 East William street, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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$2 French Kids, $1.50
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50c Jar Lemon Cleans. Cream 36c
50c Jar Melba Skin Cleanser ..36c
25c Mavis Talcum Powder ...15c
25c Mennen's Talcum Powder 15c
50c Jar Luxor Cold Cream ...34c

$1.50 SOMETHING NEW LUXOR TOILET WATER $1

$1.00 LOMBARDIE
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Beautiful handkerchiefs, in all colors of Batiste, with scalloped edges and embroidered corners. Regular 50c values—very special at 35c

25c Plain Linen, 19c
Plain linen, in white only, with ¼ inch hems. Fine to embroider for Christmas gifts. Regular 25c values, marked down for Saturday 19c

Colored Handkerchiefs
Regular 75c colored linen handkerchiefs, with ¼ and ½ inch hems and embroidered corners. Excellent quality and an unusual value Saturday at 50c

Children's Handkerchiefs
Handsomely embroidered or printed batiste Handkerchiefs; with ¼ inch hem—put in gift boxes—three in a box— Special Saturday, box of 3 25c

MEN'S Handkerchiefs 25c SPECIAL
Men's good, plain white Handkerchiefs, large size, regular 25c value —Saturday special 19c

INITIAL HANDK'RCHIEFS
An assortment of all linen men's Handkerchiefs, with embroidered initials— colors—Saturday 35c

COLORED BORDER KERCHIEFS
Men's novelty Handkerchiefs, with a variety of colored borders, plain or initialed —50c vals., Saturday .. 25c

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$2.50 to $3.00 Dress Shirts, $1.95
MEN'S best quality Percale and Madras Dress Shirts, in newest colors and patterns, with French cuffs. All sizes. Made to give lasting satisfaction. Priced specially for Saturday's sale $1.95

$1.50 to $2 Dress Shirts, $1
Percale and Madras fancy Dress Shirts for men, in new stripes and checks and color combinations. French cuffs. All sizes. Extra special Saturday, at $1

Boys' Thermo Sport Coats and Slipovers
Boys' all-wool genuine Thermo Sport Jackets and Slipovers, Heather mixtures only. Jackets with and without pockets and belts. All sizes. Regular $5.00 values—Saturday $3.50

Boys' Roll Collar Sweaters
Heavy knit roll collar, slipover Sweaters. Combination colors of Navy and Cardinal, Kelly and Red, Maroon and Black, Black and Orange—sizes 32 to 36—Special for Saturday $4.95

Gent's Luggage
Men's heavy genuine Cowhide, three piece traveling bag, 18-inch, double lock, pigskin leather lined. Black only —Regular $12 to $15 values $8
Others $4.50 to $16.50

$1.50 and $2 Silk Ties
Extra good quality silk four-in-hand neckties—newest striped and color combinations—Saturday, special $1

79c Silk Neckties, 2 for $1
Men's and Boys' striped and dotted silk knit Ties—all colors and combinations—special for Saturday's sale, 2 for $1

$1.50 Tie and Belt Sets
Striped or dotted, knit or silk Ties, together with good leather belt and initial buckle, in special Christmas box—priced for Saturday selling, a set $1

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$1.50 Fashioned Silk Hose, $1.
A special offering of women's fashioned silk hose, with lisle heel and toe, in Black, White and Brown —a very good value, a pair $1

$2.50 Pure Thread Silk, $1.95.
Women's and Misses' pure thread silk hose, with lisle tops —regular $2.50 value—excellent for Christmas gifts—priced special for Saturday $1.95

$2 Wool Sport Hose, $1.50
These are good quality, heavy ribbed wool Sport Hose, all sizes, in heather mixtures only. With and without embroidered clocks. Saturday's special price $1.50

White Ivory
OUR White Ivory display is beautiful. Brushes, Combs, Clocks, Files, Buffers, Mirrors, Powder Boxes, Picture Frames, Shoe Horns, Salve Jars, Cuticle Knives—what could be more appropriate for Christmas giving?

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Others up to $5.95

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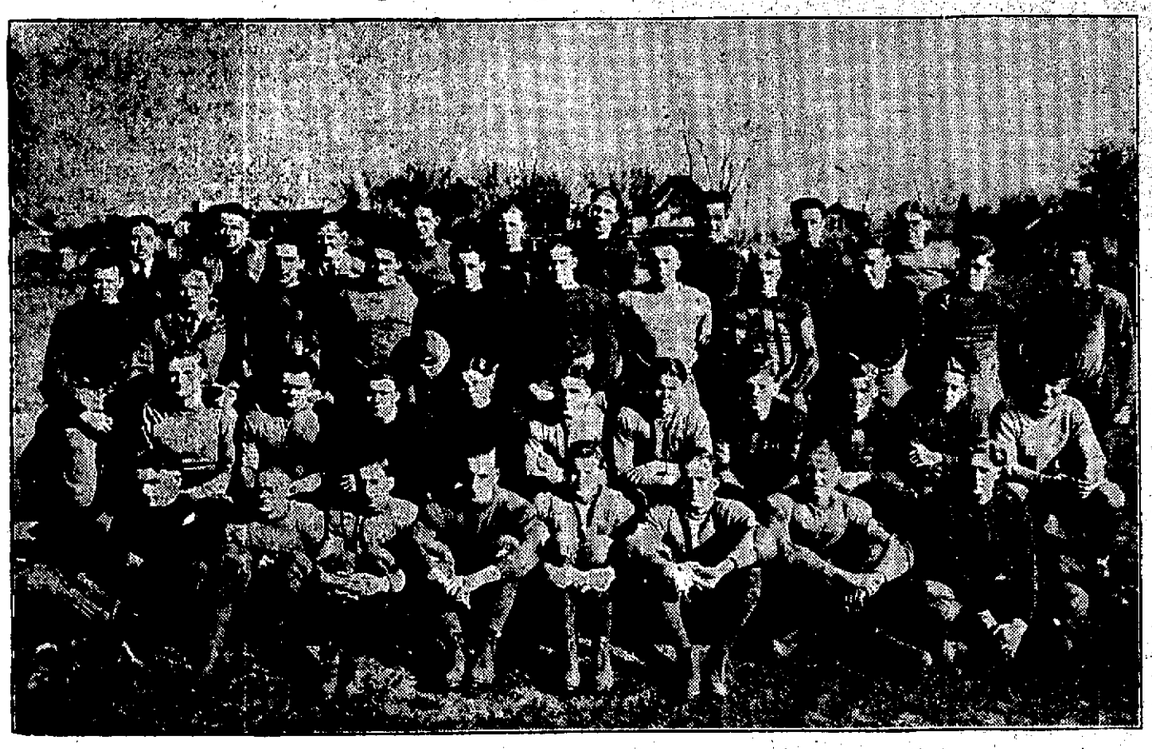

Future Fighting Illini—Illinois' Freshman Football Squad.

Left to right—Top row, Baur, Wickhorst, Friedmeyer, Britton, Baker, R. L. Hall, Fisher, Carr, Schultz. Third Row—Dougherty, Cook, A. G. Hall, Woods, Grange, Neill, Kennedy, Chambers, Parker, Mauer, McNeely. Second Row—Wallingford, Ems, Aldous, Muhl, Lane, Rositsky, Wagner, Brown, Smith, Ingwersen (Coach. Bottom Row—Crawford, Casey, Corray, Koch, Pester, James, McManus, Olin.

Football Critics Argue Importance of Luck

Analyze Just How Important a Factor It Really Is In Determining Outcome of Contests.

BY WALTER CAMP.

(Copyright, 1922)

New York, Dec. 8.—Many of the football critics and many of the coaches are taking a post-season course in analysis of how much of a factor luck is on the gridiron. Moans over bad luck are arising on every side. Some are all for having the rules altered to eliminate luck.

This reminds one of the old proposal of Johnny Low who once said in a book on golf, that a rule should be introduced to the effect that if one man topped his shot and still ran over the bunker up to the hole and his opponent played a good shot carrying the bunker but striking a soft patch of turf and stopping short of the green, the latter player ought to have the right to recall his opponent's shot because it was luck.

IN BASEBALL.

In this connection it should be remembered that a baseball team may make three safe hits and fill the bases and still not score whereas another team may make but one hit and still score a run. Furthermore one team may make a dozen hits during a game and not score and then have a fielder drop a fly which will result in a victory for opponents without a single safety being marked on the score book.

HOW TO LOSE.

Many a team is looking back with regrets just now at one of those momentary lapses which cost them dear the past season. The most effective ways to lose games on the gridiron may be listed as follows:

1. Failure of the end to guard his end of the field. 2. Failure of the forward passer to cover his pass, and 3. Failure of the team to put enough resin on their hands to be able to hold the ball. The writer heard a coach recently bewailing the fact that while it was possible to lead a horse to water, it was impossible to make him drink. He declared that it was possible to educate a quarterback and still impossible to make him pick the right plays at the right moment.

SPORT BRIEFS.

Columbus, Ohio.—The Columbus American association club has sold Joe Shannon, outfielder, to Memphis of the Southern association, it was learned.

Newark, N. J.—Frank Genaro, bantam-weight and his manager, Joe Bernstein, were suspended for failure to go through with an agreement to meet Pancho Villa, Dec. 11.

Milwaukee—Joe Lynch, champion bantam-weight won a decision over Joey Sangor, Milwaukee. Sangor is a featherweight.

HONOR GRID PLAYERS.

Shelbyville, Ill., Dec. 8.—Seventeen men were awarded letters and ten medals for playing in more than half the football games this season at a meeting of the team members of Shelbyville high school recently.

The following men received letters:

Igo, Beem, Lloyd, Archey, Presser, Hoover, Acres, Twiss, Jenkins, Milligan, Dove, Ruch, Seaman, Brannaman, Phillips, Allen and Mansfield. Robert Dove was elected captain for 1923. The letter men will receive sweaters with their letters.

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TUSCOLA CONTEST HAS BEEN CHANGED

Red and White Team Goes There December 16.

The date for the opening game of the season for the Decatur high school quintet has been changed from Friday, Dec. 15th to the 16th at which time the locals journey to Tuscola to meet Kile Mac Wherter's tossers.

The change was made in order to permit the red and white basketball men to attend the athletic banquet Friday evening under the auspices of the Hi-Y club. George Huff, athletic director at Illinois university is to be the speaker of the evening.

OPEN NEW GYYM.

The game at Tuscola will be the dedication contest for the new gymnasium at that place and the greatest crowd that ever saw a game in Tuscola is expected to be on hand.

After the Tuscola game the Muir team will not face an opponent until after the Christmas vacation. The first team to be played is Raymond Firebaugh's Monticello quintet at Monticello. The Piatt county athletes upset the D. H. S. football eleven and they are anxious to repeat in basketball.

Following is the complete chart as announced by Manager C. E. Westlund:

THE SCHEDULE.

Dec. 16—Decatur at Tuscola.
Jan. 5—Decatur at Monticello.
Dec. 6—Tuscola at Decatur.
Dec. 12—Decatur at Clinton.
Dec. 13—Urbana at Decatur.
Dec. 19—Springfield at Decatur.
Dec. 26—Decatur at Danville.
Dec. 27—Maroa at Decatur.
Feb. 2—Decatur at U. High.
Feb. 3—Mattoon at Decatur.
Feb. 9—Decatur at Springfield.
Feb. 10—Monticello at Decatur.
Feb. 16—Danville at Decatur.
Feb. 23—Clinton at Decatur.
March 1, 2, 3—District tournament.

DEPAUW OPENS.

Greencastle, Ind., Dec. 8.—No idea of what the Depauw lineup will be when the curtain goes up Saturday night in Bowman gymnasium on the 1922-23 basketball season, has been given out by Coach Ashmore, who is looking the Tigers over each afternoon in practice. Three of last year's men, Captain White, as center or forward, and Allee and Laughlin as forward, along with Bills, are expected to break into the opening line up. Who the guards will be is not yet known, but several new men along with Zeke Young, back guard of two years ago, are working hard to win places left vacant by Moffett and Mendenhall, the two men lost to the squad by graduation last spring. Young, because of his experience, may get the call over some likely looking freshman when the whistle blows Saturday night.

Manages Cage Team.

C. E. WESTLUND.

One of the most important athletic positions around a high school or college is that of basketball manager. He is the one who has plenty of work to do with very little reward.

For the past few years Decatur High school has been fortunate in having C. E. Westlund as the faculty basketball manager. After weeks of endeavor he has completed the 1922-23 schedule and the Muir tossers will face some stiff opposition this winter.

JOHNSON EXPLAINS WHY COBB GOT HIT

Chicago, Dec. 8—President Johnson of the American League Thursday gave out the explanation of his ruling allowing the disputed hit to Ty Cobb, manager of the Detroit Americans, which made Cobb's 1922 batting average .401, his third year over .400, which tied the major league record.

JOHNSON EXPLAINS.

"The official score of the game of May 15, at New York between Yankees and Detroit, was NOT authenticated," President Johnson said, in a statement given out as a reply to an inquiry from Brooklyn. Reports that the Baseball Writers Association of New York was preparing a formal protest against overruling of the official scorer, also were received at league headquarters. Mr. Johnson is in Excelsior Springs, Mo.

HAVE COOPERATION.

President Johnson's statement explained an arrangement made by the American League official statistician for cooperation with The Associated Press in checking box scores from all American League parks.

"This provision was carried out in the game in question and Cobb credited with a hit," the statement said.

"If a change in the box score was made it was without notice to the Associated Press, and the American League official statistican sensibly accepted the Associated Press account."

Notre Dame Alumni Will Greet Rockne

Headed by Carl Laux, one of the most enthusiastic Notre Dame supporters in Decatur a number of the fellows who either graduated or attended the South Bend school at some time or other will form a reception committee to meet Knute Rockne here today.

Among those who will greet the Notre Dame athletic director and grid coach are Poynt Downing, Albert Bachrach, Laurens Cook, Nate Cook, Dr. George Rivard, John Hogan, Wm. Bering, Jr., Louie Moran and others.

Several informal parties have been arranged for Rockne, who will be the guest of Carl Laux and the Cook boys at the St. Nicholas hotel during his stay in the city.

HUFF SPEAKS AT ARCOLA BANQUET

Arcola, Dec. 8—One hundred and fifty were present at the banquet given the members of the Arcola high school football team in the school gymnasium Wednesday night. George Huff, athletic director at the University of Illinois, was the guest of honor.

Every one present agreed that it was a fine celebration. The fans are well satisfied with the performances of the team this year; the team is satisfied with the support given them by the fans and the coaches and faculty are well pleased with both.

George Huff is always more than satisfied when he is surrounded by a bunch of healthy, clean young athletes who embody the ideals of real sportmanship he has always stood for in the quarter of a century of his connection with the state university.

DALE MOORE CAPTAIN.

The football team has elected Dale Moore captain for 1923. Moore has been playing guard and tackle for the past two seasons and is one of the strongest men on the team, besides being popular with all his team mates.

Coach Anway has turned his attention to basket ball and has a large squad at work every evening. The first game will be played with the Charleston high school team which comes here Friday evening of next week.

TAYLORVILLE'S CHART FOR CAGE SEASON

Taylorville, Ill., Dec. 8.—The Taylorville High school basketball team is working hard in preparation for the opening of their cage season, Dec. 20.

The following schedule has been announced:

Dec. 20—Mt. Auburn at Taylorville.
Jan. 17—Springfield at Taylorville.
Jan. 19—Open.
Jan. 24—Taylorville at Stonington.
Jan. 26.—Shelbyville at Taylorville.
Jan. 31—Assumption at Taylorville.
Feb. 2—Nokomis at Taylorville.
Feb. 7—Pawnee at Taylorville.
Feb. 9—Taylorville at Jacksonville.
Feb. 14—Taylorville at Nokomis.
Feb. 16—Clinton at Taylorville.
Feb. 23—Springfield at Taylorville.
Feb. 28—Stonington at Taylorville.
Mar. 2—Taylorville at Shelbyville.

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MINORS DO NOT FEAR MAJORS

Have Gained Power and Strength in Last Few Years

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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Louisville, Dec. 8—Not since the National Association of Minor Leagues was organized have its members felt their safety and their power as they do today. While this attitude which permeates minor ranks, is in no sense combative of the major leagues, it is patently evident that the minors no longer are in awe of their bigger brothers.

This feeling has shown itself throughout the annual meeting here and it was crystallized in the statement of M. H. Sexton, president of the association, who finished his labors as chairman of the widely distributed body of delegates with a smile. There have been years when his labors were finished with an exposition of care and concern on the brow of the chairman.

BACKBONE OF REVOLT.

The success of the Pacific Coast league undoubtedly has much to do with this feeling of security. The coast league has been the backbone of the revolt against the draft in the west and Jack Dunn of Baltimore, has been the spinal column in the east.

Both have managed to get along nicely thanks, and make some money without the draft, and the other fellows are now figuring out how they can do the same thing.

MOLINE OUT.

The Moline club has dropped out of the Three Eye league but the circuit will go on as usual. Springfield is likely to fill the niche. Baseball is good in the corn belt.

MEET IN CHICAGO.

It is practically certain that the next association meeting will be in Chicago in a joint conference, which will be called by Commissioner Landis in December, 1923, to which both major leagues will be invited. If that meeting can't be arranged the minors will meet at Nashville.

Pittsburgh and New York, it was said, today, are to make a player trade in New York next week.

TUSCOLA'S RECORD

Tuscola 17, Newman 0.
Tuscola 20, Mattoon 0.
Tuscola 20, Villa Grove 0.
Tuscola 19, Arthur 0.
Urbana 14, Tuscola 0.
Tuscola 13, Monticello 0.
Tuscola 6, Atwood 6.
Tuscola 19, Mahomet 0.
Arcola 7, Tuscola 8.

Note. The Sullivan game was called off because of wet grounds.

WABASH TO ENTER NEW INDIANA BODY

Crawfordsville, Ind., Dec. 8—Wabash College expects to become a member of the Indiana inter-collegiate athletic conference, when the state organization holds its meeting at Indianapolis Saturday, according to an announcement made by Professor Jasper A. Cragwall, chairman of the faculty athletic committee.

REFUSED IN JUNE.

When the organization was perfected last June, Wabash refused to join because the freshman rule was adopted. In joining the conference, Wabash will accept the freshman rule, which bars first year athletes from varsity competition.

FRESHMAN TEAMS.

However, Wabash will employ a freshman coach, and it is the intention of the college to have freshman teams scheduling regular games with freshman teams from other colleges in the conference, Professor Cragwall said. The first year candidates will thus be given the same attention, practically, as will be given members of the varsity squads.

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Millikin Opens Cage Season With Victory

Captain Floyd Curl Leads His Tossers to 32 to 17 Win Over Sparks Tossers.

BY CORKY LEWIS.

Millikin University opened its 1922-23 basketball season in the J. M. U. gym Thursday evening by defeating the Sparks Business College five of Shelbyville in a fast exhibition of the cage game by a score of 32 to 17.

The contest started with a rush, and a fast pace was kept throughout the game. Millikin and the visitors remained evenly matched in the first half with the lead being passed back and forth. The Sparks five lead at half time by one field goal.

It was not until the last period of the game that the blue and white quintet speeded up to a comeback which put the game safely away. Captain Curl lead the tossing in the last half with five counters from the field to his credit, while Walley, Arrington and Douglass followed with two each.

SPARKS SCORE FIRST.

Sparks opened the scoring with Flemming gaining two free throws on a foul. Captain Curl followed with a sleeper to tie the score after the second tip-off. Millikin played good offensive basketball during the game, and their defensive in the second half was better than that in the first period. The J. M. U. guards held their opponents to only six field counters, while the blue and white scoring machine racked up fifteen sinkers.

CLEAN BATTLE.

The game, although fast, was comparatively clean, and the fouls called were mainly for hacking. The combination which was selected to start the contest for Millikin served well, and Floyd Curl lead his men with a good eye for the basket playing at the forward position.

Although having only a short time to practice together the quintet had fine defensive play and an effective offense. Douglass who was worked in when Miller was taken from the game proved to be a fast man. Walley outjumped his man at center, and Bacon's work at guard with Arrington is commendable. The latter broke through for two neat field goals.

VISITING LIGHTS.

Flemming and Beam seemed to be the bright lights for the visitors, the latter counting up a beautiful long toss which was thrown from behind center and travelled over the entire Millikin defense.

During the first half of the game Millikin men found difficulty in connecting with the basket, but after the last half began, they hit with more accuracy.

The game was only a hint of what is to come for the followers of the cage sport at Millikin. The next game for the J. M. U. will be played out of town at Lincoln College, on Dec. 12. The biggest attraction here comes Dec. 20, when Notre Dame will invade the camp of the locals. With the material now on hand and some stiff workouts, one of the fastest quintets in recent years is expected at Millikin this season to face formidable opponents.

THE SUMMARY.

Millikin	F.G.	F.T.	T.P.
Curl, f	7	2	16
Miller, f	0	0	0
Douglass, f	2	0	4
Lindley, f	0	0	0
Walley, c	4	0	8
McGhee, c	0	0	0
Bacon, g	0	0	0
Arrington, g	3	0	4
Totals	15	2	32

Sparks	F.G.	F.T.	T.P.
Flemming, f	3	2	8
Beem, f	2	3	7
Eades, c	0	0	0
Durland, g	1	0	2
Hudson, g	0	0	0
Totals	6	5	17

Referee—Crooks (Illinois).
Umpire—Rice (Indiana U).

JOHNSON AGREES TO CHANGE DATE

Chicago, Dec. 8.—President Ban Johnson of the American League advanced the date of the American League club owners annual meeting in Chicago to Tuesday, Dec. 12 to enable the club owners to attend the joint meeting of the major leagues called by Commissioner Landis for Doc. 14 in New York City, according to a long distance telephone message from Mr. Johnson in Excelsior Springs, Mo., today.

MOLLA MALLORY TO INVADE ENGLAND

New York, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Molla Mallory, woman's singles tennis champion, will go to Wimbledon next year in a third quest of the title of world's woman tennis champion now held by Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen of France.

MAJOR OWNERS LAUD ABBOTT

Spencer Abbott, famous minor league manager, will handle the Reading, Pa., International League team next year. Abbott succeeds Chief Bender as manager. Last year he was in charge of the Memphis team of the Southern League.

Abbott has always gone big in the minors; winning pennants is his specialty.

"Reading made no mistake in choosing Spencer Abbott," is the opinion of John McGraw.

"He is a thoroughly competent man," is the way Barney Dreyfus sums up Abbott's baseball ability.

FOOTBALL DINNER TICKETS GO FAST

Knute Rockne Is Big Drawing Card.

Knute Rockne, Notre Dame coach and speaker at the Millikin football dinner Friday night at the Decatur club rooms, has proved to be such a drawing card that those in charge of the ticket sale will probably have to hang out the S. R. O. sign early in the day, for only a very few of the 125 tickets are left, and so frequent have been the calls for tickets since it was announced that Rockne would head the program that the few remaining seats will not last long.

On the same bill with Rockne, the committee in charge has provided a number of other entertainment features that are sure to be good. These, with the talks by representatives of the school and association, and the announcement of the new Millikin captain for 1923, will assure plenty of diversion for the evening.

WABASH ADDED TO LOMBARD SCHEDULE

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 8—Coach Schissler of Lombard college has announced that Lombard will meet Wabash on the gridiron November 3, 1923. The game will be staged in Galesburg and will be one of the features of the Lombard chart of games.

LEADS ILLINI BASKETEERS

EVERETT HELLSTROM.

Everett Hellstrom, better known as "Swede," was recently chosen captain of the Illinois basketball team. Hellstrom is a resident of Evanston, Ill., which also produced his predecessor as basketball leader, Chuck Carney.

This lad started out as a sophomore to do things and won his varsity letter in football, basketball and baseball. An injured leg has kept him out of everything except baseball ever since. Hellstrom is a forward on the basketball team and is believed to be well adapted to the new short passing game which Craig Ruby, the new coach, is introducing at Illinois.

WILLIE WILL NOT QUIT FIGHT GAME

Jackson Not Discouraged By Defeat.

BY FAIR PLAY.
(Copyright 1922.)

New York, Dec. 8.—Willie Jackson, who was recently defeated by Johnny Shugrue in Jersey City, announced today that despite the battering he received he is not going to follow the advice of friends and retire.

NOT FEELING WELL.

"Every fighter has a bad day once in awhile," said Willie today, "and you can't accept this showing as giving a line on his ability. I wasn't feeling too well while training for the Shugrue battle and know I did not do myself justice when we met. But there will be other times. Certainly I'm no down and outer as you see."

NEARLY THROUGH.

That gives the up and up on this game lightweight who has been classed among the half dozen best men in his class for the past six years. But while spirit is a fine thing, Jackson's record makes it look as though he is pretty much on the skids.

PENN WILL START WEST ON DEC. 19

State College, Pa., Dec. 8—The Pennsylvania state college football team, which will meet the University of Southern California at the Carnival of Roses in Pasadena on New Year's Day, will leave for the Pacific coast Dec. 19, graduate Manager Fleming announced Thursday night.

BOWLING

TRANSPORTATION CLUB.

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.	Ave.
Boss	138		190	328	164
Richey	160	173	170	503	168
Cooper	130		181	330	165
Crinigan	202	127		329	165
Schlarb	138	171	123	432	154
Wittke		172	194	366	183
Dooley		135		135	135
Handicap	10	34	26		
Total	807	812	904	2453	

GREAT BOBS.

Drobisch	145	101	176	472	157
Lyons	140	155	151	446	149
Stevens	161	135	125	421	140
Hamman	157	163	192	512	171
Doherty	183	194	157	534	179
Total	786	798	801	2387	

High individual score—Crinigan, 202.
High individual average—Wittke, 183.

HASBEENS.

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.	Ave.
Thomas	230	171	190	591	197
McIntyre	173	180	177	510	172
W. Potter	154	192	157	503	168
Dombroski	140	152	201	502	167
Kawaski	164	162	191	507	169
Total	866	857	916	2619	

SHULKE TOPS.

C. Shulke	136	170	171	477	159
Shultz	171	177	158	506	167
Madison	193	171	144	508	169
G. Shulke	177	156	223	556	183
Weisenbuhler	195	231	178	604	201
Handicap	47	47	47		
Total	917	940	921	2648	

High individual score—Weisenbuhler, 231.
High individual average—Weisenbuhler, 201.

Next games scheduled tonight—Southpaws vs. Yes Hops; Hell & McClimans vs. Just Boys.

OPEN SEASON FOR COACHES

Majority of Mentors Have Proven Ability At Big Schools.

BY LAWRENCE PERRY.
(Copyright, 1922)

New York, Dec. 8.—Now is the open season for football coaches. A majority of the gridiron mentors throughout the country having proved their fitness for their position, will remain in their places. A few will resign and a few will be asked to resign. Already Buck O'Neill, a splendid coach, has found the Columbia situation too much for him and he retired.

Among the Dartmouth men there is an impression that Jackson Cannell did not make as much of his material as he should have and that perhaps a more mature mind should control the destinies of the Green. Cannell, however, has his staunch backers.

JONES IS POPULAR.

Tad Jones has a contract with Yale that has two more years to run. Even if he had not he would in all probability be invited to return to New Haven. Yale is fortunate to have him.

William Roper can of course remain at Princeton. Indeed, his departure would be looked upon by all Princetonians as a calamity. But Roper did some valuable work for the Governor-elect Pinchot in his recent campaign and this service conceivably might be recognized.

HEISMAN IN DEMAND.

If Penna wishes to retain John Heisman she will have to bid for him. He is the man of the hour having received offers that are very attractive. If he goes to Columbia he would have a tough job, but one wherein success would make a resounding national reputation.

FISHER AT HARVARD.

Robert T. Fisher, Harvard, will, of course, remain at the helm.

There are rumors that the University of Virginia is making efforts to lure Mike Donahue away from Auburn.

Greasy Neale is almost certain to lead W. & J. Chick Meehan is riding high at Syracuse and so far as may now be known there are no other important changes pending throughout the country.

DEMPSEY DENIES DODGING BOUTS

Los Angeles, Dec. 8.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, arrived home Thursday and declared he was "dodging nobody's challenge."

"I am ready to meet any one in the world right now or any time suitable if the right kind of a promoter will offer a good inducement," Dempsey was quoted. "As for Jess Willard, I would like nothing better than to take him on, but where is the promoter who would stage it?"

"To my way of thinking, Willard would be the easiest of the bunch, but I am ready for them all. It's only a question of the right promoter and the right offer."

SUB-ED'S NOTES

BY F. W. W.

A Bloomington sport scribe grows sarcastic in remarking that "Millikin, after a flight in faster time and suffering defeats with Wabash, Purdue and DePauw, is willing to come back into the fold and schedule games with I. I. A. C. teams."

True enough, the Blue and White was defeated, but a wise old bird once said "Nothing ventured, nothing done."

We give the lads credit for trying the stiff teams.

H. V. Millard, in drawing up his basketball officiating chart, has secured nine big time games, as well as many of slightly less importance. He will also work a half dozen or more Illinois high school tournaments.

Friday night he is working the Michigan-Notre Dame game at Ann Arbor and Saturday night he has the Michigan Aggies-Notre Dame game at Lansing.

Georges Carpentier, after exhibiting several broken knuckles and a storm of denials to Sikl's charges that their "famous" fight was framed, has offered to meet the Bengalese again.

Sikl has been barred, is no longer champion of Europe and Georges should let well enough alone.

Northwestern professors took a radical stand Thursday night in proposing that college football get back to an "Amateur" plane, that high priced coaches go, that admission prices be cut to fifty cents and that, in fact, sports be made at least secondary in school life. The proposal was defeated by vote.

Sparks College of Shelbyville had the home lads worried Thursday night and led Wann's basketball men at the end of the half. It took a speedy comeback to enable Millikin to emerge victorious.

The Moline Three-Eye league status remains hazy to say the least. One press report states that the Plow Boys have quit the circuit. The writer also has it on first hand authority that no definite step has yet been taken but that it looks to be a certainty that Moline will not be with us next year.

President Wylie has not yet secured a manager for the Commies but the matter isn't worrying the thinking fan, who realizes that good bosses are not secured speedily.

Lombard, after signing Notre Dame, has also added Wabash to its football schedule. They are going to have a mighty stiff chart up Galesburg way next fall.

Bill Coonradt, eminent Decatur bowler, denies having any quiding hand in a recent bowling banquet. He states he was merely present as one of the boys and as one of the leading eaters. So be it.

BANQUET SPEAKER

KNUTE ROCKNE.

It hasn't been but a few years ago that the telegraph wires were buzzing off a story of a Notre Dame victory through the great passing combination, Dorias to Rockne.

Since that time the name of the same Rockne has been at the top when the names of the country's greatest grid coaches are mentioned.

SPEAKS HERE.

This Friday evening 160 Decatur citizens will have the privilege of hearing the great Notre Dame coach as the principal speaker of the Association of Commerce banquet to the 1923 Millikin football team.

Knute Rockne is more than a great coach, he is just one of the boys, a fellow who during all his success as grid coach has never lost sight of his sportsmanship. He is a credit to his University, a credit to the West and a credit to the profession which he has taken up as a life work.

TWO TEAMS LEAD BY SINGLE LAP

New York, Dec. 8.—Two teams, Goullet-Belloni and Brocco-Coburn clung to their lead of a single lap at the 10th hour in the six day bicycle race at 8 a. m. today. They had pedalled 1,834 miles and seven laps.

I. I. A. C. VETOES FROSH RULE

Decides Time Not Ripe to Make Change in Conference.

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 8—The committee of college presidents and coaches which met here Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce as a result of a resolution adopted at the Monmouth meeting last spring, decided that the time was not ripe for adoption of a freshman rule in this conference, but decided to recommend a one-year migratory rule, in place of the old rule of four and one-half months in vogue in this conference.

The session lasted until nearly midnight. Those in attendance were President J. L. McConaughy, of Knox college; President George Potter, of Shurtleff; President B. E. McCammon, of McKendree; Coach A. B. Wimberley, of Wesleyan; Coach H. H. Russell, of State Normal; Coach Frank W. Phillips, of Monmouth, and Coach William Harmon, of Illinois college.

BRADLEY STATUS UNCERTAIN.

One of the most important matters to come to the attention of conference followers today is the status of Bradley Polytechnic Institute. Everyone would like to see Bradley in the conference for more reasons than one, chief among which are the fact that the Techs are an excellent drawing card everywhere and that the Peoria school is admirably situated geographically for the other schools in the conference.

NOT FOUR YEAR SCHOOL.

Bradley was not a four-year college at the time the present conference was formed, and did not enter the organization at that time, but it is said, at the present time, living up to all the requirements of the I. I. A. C. and would welcome the opportunity to enter the organization.

Dr. Verne Swain, chairman of the P. P. I. athletic board and A. J. Robertson, successful Tech school mentor arrived here last night and will it is said present the organization with a formal application today.

Asks Divorce.

Anna Gould has filed a bill of divorce from Jay B. Gould. They were married Dec. 22, 1915 and lived together until Oct. 20, 1920. She charges him with desertion and asks for the custory of their six year old daughter.

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With them was Royal Dadmun, who though having visited Decatur before is less well known, but who sprang into instant favor in the opening number of the program as one of the quartet of artists, singing "Wake for the Sun," and immediately afterward in solo in a group of songs, simple yet difficult of rendition. His encore was a salt sea ballad.

VARIED PROGRAM.

The program, ranging from the plain little heart songs to the more ambitious numbers from the operas "Trovatore" and "Rigoletto," embraced solos, duos and quartet, and was so arranged that the artists appeared in various combinations.

The voices of Olive Kline, soprano, and Elsie Baker, contralto, blended delightfully in several duets, perhaps the most charming of which was "Whispering Hope." By request they substituted "Alabama Moon" for "Barcarolle" from "Tales of Hoffman," and graciously responded to an encore.

Each appeared later in a group of songs, Miss Kline's collection being Bayou ballads, with an encore, "By the Waters of Minnetonka." There was a little disappointment when she substituted another for "Dreamin' Time," a number that most of her audience specially desired to hear her sing.

LAMBERT MURPHY.

Lambert Murphy's solos were of a somewhat more serious character including "Kathleen Mavourneen," "When the Roses Bloom," and "Christ in Flanders," with "Absent" as a special number.

Miss Kline and Mr. Dadmun in "La ci darem" from "Don Giavonni," and Miss Baker and Mr. Murphy in "Home to Our Mountains" from "Trovatore," performed artistically and with delightful tone and harmony.

In the Quartet from "Rigoletto" the audience heard the four in perhaps their finest expression.

Misses Kline and Baker displayed charming personalities and graciousness of manner that won for them the liking of their audience and heightened the esteem in which they already had been held through impressions gained from the records that have carried their voices into many homes.

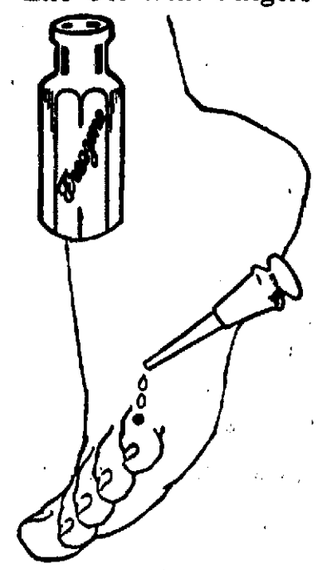
Marion Sims at the piano performed splendidly.

WHISTLE INTERRUPTS.

The interruption of the Millikin whistle announcing the victory of Millikin over Sparks Business College was received smilingly by the entertainers and with applause by the audience, which by the way was distressingly limited, though thoroughly appreciative.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



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THIEVES ENTER TWO RESIDENCES

Take $150 Oriental Rug At Bommersbachs.

Burglars entered the home of A. Spaeth, 851 East Cantrell street, Thursday night for the second time in less than six months. It is believed the thief had a key, for every door and window was locked Friday morning, just as the family left it on retiring Thursday night. The thief took $5 or $6 in cash, several pairs of gloves, some candy and a lot of groceries.

The home of Nicholas Bommersbach, 703 Greenwood avenue, was robbed Wednesday night. The thief got Mr. Bommersbach's watch, $17 in money, an oriental rug valued at $150 and several other articles.

POSTOFFICE OUT OF W. S. S BLANKS

New Supply Is Awaited—First Supply Lasted Only Few Days.

The supply of blanks at the postoffice to be filled out by people turning in their 1918 War Savings Certificates for redemption has been exhausted and a new supply is awaited. The first supply gave out in a few days. It was announced that the local banks would also have these blanks so that people could turn their stamps in at those places to help relieve the postoffice force but it is said that only two local banks secured any of the blanks.

Cemetery Wreaths

We have the largest Stock of Cemetery Wreaths we have ever shown. These wreaths are ready prepared, and will last all winter.

Priced From

$2.00 to $5.00

Daut Bros.

—Florists—

MAIN 733 — 120 E. Prairie — FAIRVIEW 109

COAL

"Riverside Sootless" Lump is as near to you now as your telephone.

$8.25 Per Ton, Delivered

MACON COUNTY COAL COMPANY

Telephones Main 77 and 78

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY

Boys' Durable, Well Made, Two Pants

Wool Suits $10

THESE all wool suits at $10 please parents because of their durable materials and sturdy construction, and boys like them because they are good looking, and because they stand the strains of work and play.

The materials are wool novelty cloth in mixture colors. Coats are belted and have large pockets. The coat and both pairs of pants are full lined. Sizes for boys 7 to 17. $10.

Other all wool suits for boys are $7.95 to $18.50.

Older Boys' Overcoats, $10.00

THEY are big, warm, durable belted overcoats of all wool materials, with large convertible collars and big patch pockets. They are coats that boys like and they are certain to give good service. Sizes 12, 14 and 16. Special, $10.00.

Boys' Wool Sweaters at $5.95

SWEATERS like these keep a boy warm without interfering with his movements, so he is not apt to take it off when he plays. They are made of all wool materials, in the popular pull-over style. Just $5.95.

THIRD FLOOR

Gift Jewelry

Pretty and Inexpensive

NOVELTY beads are here in a notably varied assortment. Almost every color, style and length is included. Prices are 50c to $7.50 a strand.

Close fitting ear rings, pendants, drops and many other styles are here in numerous attractive colors. Prices range from 50c to $5 a pair.

Large Spanish combs, studded with imitation rubies, emeralds, sapphires and rhinestones, are priced $5 to $10 each.

Silver plated Eversharp pencils in plain designs, with ring or clip, are $1 each.

FIRST FLOOR

House Slippers

Are Here for Everyone

WOMEN'S quilted satin house slippers are here in many pretty styles and many favored colors. They are priced $1.75 to $4.50 a pair.

Women's felt slippers in navy, Yale blue, copen, ecru, and many other colors are here in many styles priced $1 to $2.

Men's Faust slippers. Everetts, Romeos and Cavaliers, of soft, fine leather, are here in brown, tan, red, black or patent leather. They are moderately priced at $3 to $6.50.

Men's felt house slippers may be chosen with padded soles and heels or soles and heels of leather. Many styles are offered in a variety of dark colors. They are $1 to 2 a pair.

Just for Saturday! A Notable Sale of Many $5.50 to $7.50 Value

Charming Leather Bags

$4.95

MEN who seek attractive gifts for women, and women who think of buying bags for themselves or for gifts, will find that this sale offers a notable opportunity, for it brings smart, modish, well made leather bags of splendid quality at prices far below regular. Satisfactory choice is certain, for the assortment includes:

Beautiful bags of beaver, calf, suede and the popular Safern leather, in new pouch shapes and other shapes. Each bag is silk lined and all are fitted with mirror and purse. Filigreed metal or leather covered frames. Strap handles are of self material.

Every bag is a notable value at $4.95, for they are very well made and materials are of excellent quality. The bags are now displayed in a Water street display window, where they will remain until the hour of sale. The sale is for Saturday only, starting at 9:00 o'clock. Early choice is advised for best selection.

FIFTH FLOOR

Many Gift Suggestions

From the Fourth Floor Housewares Sections

Duplex Fireless Cookers, $16.50

THESE are Duplex single well cookers of 12 quart capacity, with one 8 quart and one 4 quart aluminum cooking vessel. Full aluminum lined. Excellent value, $16.50.

Hot Point Electric Irons $5.95

FULL size Hot Point Irons, with the patented Hot Point thumb rest and self stand, complete with cord, $5.95.

—Mahogany serving trays with wood handles and removable glass bottoms are special at $2.50.

—Bulb bowls are here in many sizes, priced 45c to $2.00.

—A nest of six pretty white mixing bowls is offered Saturday at the low price of $1.65.

42 Piece Dinner Set Just $8.95

THE dishes are of decorated semi-porcelain in a pretty pattern. The 42 piece set includes 6 cups and saucers, 6 dinner plates, 6 bread and butter plates, 6 fruit dishes, 6 soup plates, 2 vegetable dishes, 1 sugar dish, one cream pitcher and one platter. Very special, $8.95.

Wear-Ever Aluminum Utensils

WE have full assortments of Wear-Ever aluminum utensils and our prices are much lower than usual because we buy in large quantities.

Small Roasters are $3.95
Med. Roasters are $4.95
Large Roasters are $5.95
75c Pudding Pans at 35c
$2.75 Boilers are $1.89

Engraved Pyrex Special Priced

PYREX casseroles, baking dishes, pie plates and other pieces, engraved in pretty patterns, have been radically reduced for clearance. Many important savings.

Eight Cup Percolators For $1.45

THEY are prettily shaped percolators of aluminum, with electric welded spout. Very special values at $1.45.

—Universal electric waffle irons, finished in nickel, are priced just $15.00 each.

—8-inch nickel frame casseroles, special $1.39.

—Polar Cub electric heaters, for bed room or bath room, are priced $5 each. All complete.

Gifts for Old Santa's Pack

Dolls and Toys for Girls and Boys

Sample Dolls, $1.95

—Sleeping dools, dressed dolls, dolls of kid and dolls of many other kinds, in many sizes, are in this sample collection. They are dolls that usually are priced $2.50 to $4 each, but because we got them at a very low price we have placed them all in one big, special group to sell for $1.95 each.

—12 inch jointed dolls with hair and hood, prettily dressed, are just 79c.

Toys and Books and Games

—Dump trucks and Gypsy trucks for little children are special priced at 89c each.

—Sandy Andy and other interesting, durable sand toys are 69c to $1.50 ea.

—Wooden animals with cart, practically indestructible, are priced 50c.

—30 inch wooden trains, priced $1.19. Busy Andy trip hammers, priced 69c.

—Bissel toy carpet sweepers are 29c and 59c. Toy Clothes Baskets, 45c.

—Ten pin games are here in three sizes, priced 45c, 65c, 95c complete.

—Billy Whiskers Books are children's favorites. We have them all. $1 vol.

Well Made, Charming Junior Girls'

Wool Coats $15

GIRLS' 10 to 16 are delighted with these coats; they are so smart and the material is so modish. A number of mothers have purchased them in the last few days—and many are to be given for Christmas.

They are coats all wool grey tweed, made with smart collar, belt and two well placed pockets. In sizes for girls 10 to 16. They are coats of splendid quality, low priced at $15.

Other attractive all wool coats are $10.00 to $24.75

Smart Wool Dresses at $8.50

THESE are charming "Jack Tar" school dresses of all wool fabrics, in navy and black. Girls like them because they are smart as well as durable and it is easy to keep them looking nice. Sizes for girls 8 to 14 at $8.50.

Children's Bathrobes $1.95

THEY are pretty bathrobes of Beacon blanket cloth, in light and dark colored check and floral patterns. Sizes for boys and girls 1 to 6, $1.95; sizes 6 to 12, $2.95; Sizes 10 to 16, $3.95 and $5.

THIRD FLOOR

"Toiletries"

For Christmas Gifts

WOODWORTH'S Garden Fragrance and Fiancee toilet waters and extracts in pretty containers, delightfully boxed, $1.50.

Coty's L'Origan and Paris toilet waters in artistic bottles are $3.95.

Houbigant Quel Ques Fleurs and Coty's Styx, Origan and Paris odors in purse size glass tubes are $1.

Richard Hudnut's bottled white rose, white lilac and wood violet perfumes, 75c.

Blue Rose compacts and Yardley's Old English Lavender compacts in gold and dull finish, are priced $1 each.

FIRST FLOOR

Handkerchiefs

Chosen for Gift Buyers

WOMEN'S handkerchiefs of pure silk natural pongee, with hand embroidered corners, are priced 75c each.

Women's handkerchiefs of colored linen, with edges trimmed in bobbinet lace, are 85c Women's pure linen handkerchiefs with embroidered corners, 50c.

Men"s full size handkerchiefs of pure silk pongee, made by hand, are priced $1 each.

Men's plain linen handkerchiefs are priced 29c to 50c. Men's full size pure linen handkerchiefs with attractive Longfellow initials are 50c and 75c each. Others are priced 25c to $2 each.

Children's Nursery Rhyme handkerchiefs are 10c each. Children's plain handkerchiefs, box of three, 50c.

TOMORROW —AT— GUSHARD'S SUBWAY

Linen Handkerchiefs Box, 45¢

Pretty white linen handkerchiefs with colored corners, come three in a box and are just 45c a box. Others are 50c and 65c.

Men's Handkerchiefs 25c

Men's full size, all linen Initial and colored border handkerchiefs have hemstitched edges and are very low priced at 25c each.

Fur Trimmed Plush Coats $15 to $29.50

Good looking Salt's Silk Seal Plush coats with large fur collars and fancy flowered linings, are 40 inches long and have loose belts. Sizes 16 to 42. They are priced from $15 to $29.50.

Women's Wool Dresses $10.00

Beautiful dresses of navy blue tricotines and serge are attractively embroidered in red and other bright colors. The long flowing sleeves are very attractive. Necks are round and square. There are a few pretty coat dresses with applique trimmings. Sizes 16, 18, 38 and 40. These dresses are excellent values at $10.00 each.

Girl's Serge Dresses $2.45

These dresses are blue and brown serge trimmed in contrasting plaid or silk braid. Sizes 6 to 15. They are unusually low priced at $2.45.

Wool Slip-Over Sweaters $1.95

The new two color ruffled sleeves are attractive features of these wool slip-over sweaters. You may choose white and black, pink and brown, red and green, or plain colors with contrasting stripes. The necks are round, square, and "V" shape, with or without collars. Sizes 36 to 44. Price $1.95.

Lovely Silk Jersey Petticoats, $2.45

Lovely silk jersey petticoats of splendid quality are here at $2.75 each. Some have accordian pleated flounces and others have plain gathered flounces beautifully embroidered in contrasting colors. They have the adjusto top. Radically low priced at $2.45.

GUSHARD'S BASEMENT

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DECATUR REVIEW
THE COMMUNITY PAPER

DR. C. F. POPPELE DIES AT AGE 82

Former Mt. Pulaski Resident Long Ill.

Dr. Charles F. Poppele, a former resident of Mt. Pulaski, died Thursday night, in his home, 904 West Main street. He was eighty-two years old last month. He had been suffering from a tumor for some time and jaundice developed, causing his death. He was confined to his bed for two weeks.

Dr. Poppele was born in Baden, Germany Nov. 10, 1840. His youth was spent in Germany and France and in 1870 he came to the United States. After practicing his profession in the east for awhile he moved to Salem, Ill., and later to Mt. Pulaski. There he remained in active practice for forty years, moving from there to Decatur only a few years ago.

COULD NOT RETIRE.

Friends of the aged physician say that he moved away from Mt. Pulaski in self-defense; that he had planned to retire several years ago, but members of the families he had attended for so many years kept calling for his professional services to such an extent that so long as he remained in Mt. Pulas retirement was out of the question, so he came to Decatur.

Dr. Poppele was an unusually active man for his years, and comparatively few of his many acquaintances knew that he had passed four score years. His actions and bearing were more like those of a man of fifty. He was a great believer in out-door exercises and he took long walks daily, walking rapidly and with apparent ease. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah O. Poppele, and one daughter, Miss Oubri A. Poppele.

The body was removed to the Dawson & Wikoff undertak establishment and prepared for burial, and the funeral will be held there at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery. The family requests that no flowers be sent.

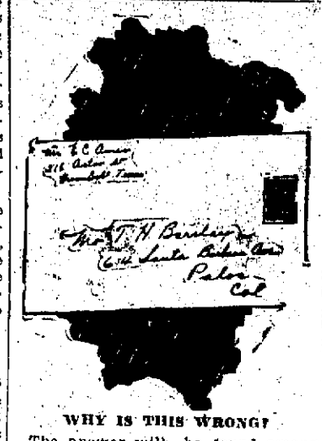
EDWARD LASHOWSKI.

Edward Laskowski died at 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the family residence, 1355 East Orchard street. He was thirty-three years old last June. His death was caused by lung trouble, with which he had suffered for over a year. Mr. Laskowski had visited a number of places in the hope that a change of climate would work an improvement in his condition, but he received no lasting benefit. He spent considerable time in Colorado, returning to Decatur last August.

Mr. Laskowski was born in Decatur, June 22, 1889, and this has always been his home. He was a members of St. Johannes Lutheran church and had many friends. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Hallie Laskowski, and a foster-son, Victor Laskowski. He also leaves his mother, Mrs. Augusta Stroher, and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Helen Lane, Mrs. Harry Wojtek, Mrs. Augusta Besalaki, all of Decatur, Mrs. Otto Bumba of St. Louis, Mrs. Gus Bumba of Ramsey, Robert Laskowski and William Laskowski of Decatur.

The body was removed to the Moran & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

Blunders.



WHY IS THIS WRONG?

The answer will be found among today's want ads.

(What "Blunder" do you suggest?)

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WILL CELEBRATE NINTH ANNIVERSARY

First Christian Church in All Day Meet

The ninth anniversary of the erection of the First Christian church building will be observed with an all day meeting Sunday at the church, following the custom of former years in celebrating this anniversary.

The events of the day will begin with the Bible school at 9:30. Following the morning church service a basket dinner will be served, which is expected to be a big feature of the day. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock there will be a service, at which the Pythian home orchestra will give a short program and Rev. Chesteen Smith of the First Methodist church will deliver the address. After this address the church will elect its officers. In the evening the usual services will be held.

The church was built during the pastorate of Rev. E. M. Smith and it is one of the up to date, commodious church buildings of the city. This is the eighth year that the present pastor, Rev. R. E. Henry, has assisted in planning for the anniversary celebration. The church is in as flourishing a condition as it has ever been in its history.

ARCOLA-MATTOON ROUTE TO BE PAVED

New Road Is Included in Early Lettings.

Arcola, Dec. 8—P. J. Goggin, local contractor, received official notice from the state highway department Thursday morning of the letting of 420 miles of hard roads at Springfield on Thursday, Dec. 21.

Included in the list is one section of the Egyptian Trail amounting to 14.1 miles between Arcola and Mattoon. The specifications call for a concrete road eighteen feet wide.

NEW ROUTE.

This is a new route between Arcola and Mattoon, adopted some time ago. It runs along side of the Illinois Central right-of-way the whole distance and the right-of-way through the farms has been secured by the purchase of the land at from $150 to $250 per acre. All but one or two property owners have signed contracts releasing the land. The money for the purchase is put up by Mattoon and Humbolt townships in Coles county, and by Douglas county and Arcola township in Douglas county.

"SANTA CLAUS" COMMITTEE.

At its meeting Wednesday, the Arcola Woman's club named the following committee to look after the sale of Christmas seals: Mrs. Alfred Bradbury, Mrs. W. G. Baysinger, Mrs. Will Haley, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Estes Hood, Mrs. Thomas P. Monahan, Mrs. James Skinner, Miss Mae Hood and Miss Olive Lee.

They also appointed the following committee to look after the annual distribution of the Christmas baskets: Mrs. R. E. Gere, Mrs. Ed Cox, Mrs. Lawrence Pfeifer, Mrs. Hugh Cunningham, Mrs. August Koenig, Mrs. W. N. Rugh, Mrs. Carter Hayes, Mrs. Lucien Rugh, Miss Alma Reinheimer.

JOHN D. MARTIN DIES.

News has been received here of the death of John D. Martin, formerly a resident of the country south of the city, who died a few days ago at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Earl Stites, of Brownton, Minn. He was seventy-six years of age and had been in poor health for years, a sufferer from tuberculosis, which was the cause of his death.

T. T. Davis will discuss the proposed new state constitution at the high school building here Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The meeting is held under the auspices of the Farm bureau.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Saturday, Dec. 9.

DAVENPORT WOC.

10:55 A. M.—Time Signals (485 Meters).
11:00 A. M.—Weather (485 Meters).
11:05 A. M.—Opening Market Quotations.
12:00 Noon—Chimes Concert.
1:30 P. M.—Closing Stocks and Markets.
3:30 P. M.—Educational Talk by C. C. Hall.
5:45 P. M.—Chimes Concert.
6:30 P. M.—Sport News.
6:40 P. M.—Sandman's Visit.
7:00 P. M.—Musical Program—Erwin Swindell, Musical Director. Mrs. Charlotte Anderson Warren, soprano; Mr. Oscar Colberg, tenor; Margaret Seaton, soprano; Miss Margaret Brooks, pianist.

DETROIT WWJ.

9:30 A. M.—"Tonight's Dinner" and a special talk by the Woman's Editor.
10:25 A. M.—Weather (485 Meters).
11:55 A. M.—Time.
12:05 P. M.—Music.
3:00 P. M.—News Orchestra.
3:30 P. M.—Weather (485 Meters).
5:40 P. M.—Markets.
5:00 P. M.—Sport Results.

Attorney A. H. Mills will speak on "The New Constitution," at the regular church services in the Second United Brethren church, Sunday evening at 7:30. Not only members of the church, but all residents of Decatur who are interested in the new constitution, are invited to attend.

We Give You the Earth—
with every potted plant we sell you. Our plants, fresh from our greenhouses, are the finest you'll find anywhere—and at very moderate prices. Just now we have a nice selection of
Narcissus Ferns
Begonias Cyclamen
WATCH FOR OUR CHRISTMAS DISPLAY OF FLOWERS NEXT WEEK
Phone Us Your Orders—Main 1549.
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Men and Women of Decatur
Make this friendly store your shopping headquarters on
CREDIT
You don't have to spend all your cash—Have money for the butcher, the baker, the grocer—we'll wait—we'll trust you!
Remarkable values!—Unequalled anywhere in Womens and Misses
Fall and Winter Coats
as low as $12.98 up to $45. Captivating fashions in all the newest fabrics and trimmings.

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Womens & Misses Suits
Newest 1922-1923 Styles in all wool poiret twill, tricotine and velour. Many hand embroidered—others braid trimmed—some plain—others with luxurious fur collars. Tremendous reductions! Save handsomely! Pay as you wear!
$17.95 also $24.95 $34.95

MEN!
Suits and Overcoats
$29.50
Compare these garments with others selling about town at almost double this price! You can't get better tailoring, better fabrics, better pattern assortment anywhere at this very special price. See them! Be convinced. Pay a little every pay day!

GIRL'S
Dresses : Coats
as low as $4.98 up to $16.98
Buy on E. Z. Payments!

BOY'S
Suits : Overcoats
as low as $4.98 up to $15.75
We'll Trust You!

We guarantee that you cannot buy the same goods elsewhere for less!
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ELLAY SYSTEM
129 East Main St., Decatur
Suburban Accounts Invited!

Blackheaded Pimples Quit With S. S. S.
Why? Pimple-Poison Goes When Red-Blood-Cells Increase! S. S. S. Builds These Red-Blood Cells.
You can be sure of this, nature has no substitute for red-blood-cells. Pimple-poison can't live in the red rivers of your blood as long as there are enough rich red-blood-cells in it. More red-

The shame of a blemished face!

blood-cells! That is what you need when you see pimples staring at you in the mirror. Blackheaded pimples are worse! Eczema is worse yet! You can try everything under the sun,—you'll find only one answer, more cell-power in your blood! The tremendous results produced by an increase in red-blood-cells is one of the A. B. C.'s of medical science. Red-cells mean clear, pure rich blood. They mean clear, ruddy, lovable complexions. They mean nerve power, because all your nerves are fed by your blood. They mean freedom forever from pimples, from the blackhead pest, from boils, from eczema and skin eruptions, from rheumatism impurities, from that tired, exhausted, run-down feeling. Red-blood-cells are the most important thing in the world to each of us. S. S. S. will build them for you. S. S. S. has been known since 1826, as one of the greatest blood-builders, blood-cleansers and system strengtheners ever produced. S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores in two sizes. The larger size bottle is the more economical.
S.S.S. makes you feel like yourself again

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

That there be constructed in the alley between East Clay Street and East Johns Street an eight (8) inch vitrified pipe sanitary sewer, beginning at a point in the present eight (8) inch sewer in the center line of the alley lying between Clay and Johns Streets, which point is twenty (20) feet west of the west line of Second Street, thence east along said center line of said alley to a point twenty (20) feet west of the west line of Fourth Street in the City of Decatur, Illinois, by excavating, bracing and refilling sewer trenches, by laying a vitrified clay pipe sanitary sewer with necessary house connections, manhole, and all other appurtenances, all complete in place.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special assessment to pay the cost of said improvement according to benefits; said special assessment being payable in three installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special assessment roll therefor having been made and returned to said court. The final hearing thereon will be had on the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1922, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this sixth day of December, A. D. 1922.

CHARLES T. KELLAM,
Commissioner.

RALPH J. MONROE,
Corporation Counsel.

EVERYTHING READY-TO-WEAR
HIRSCH CO.
121-125 N WATER ST. DECATUR ILL.
The Fashion
HERE comes a Coat sale that should produce a quick clearance of a specially bought assortment of up-to-date Coats at one-third off the wholesale price and sold to you at one-third off present prices.
Misses' Sizes, 14, 16, 18, 20
Ladies' Sizes, 36, 38, 42, 46
Extra Sizes, 46, 48, 50, 52
Coats
In a Sensational Sale at
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Navy, Brown, Sorrento, Deer, Mohawk, Black
Persian Lamb, Fox—Brown and Gray, Wolf—Brown, Black, Squirrel—Caracul, Beaver, Nutria
$75 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $50.00
$65 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $43.34
$60 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $40.00
$50 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $33.33
$45 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $30.00
$30 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $20.00
$20 Coats, ⅓ Off—Sell for $13.33
and so on—All Coats Reduced ⅓
Stout Women Look!
Your Size Is Here—
At ⅓ Off Too
Choice of the House Sale of
$5 Millinery
Any Hat you may choose, regardless of the fact that many sold up to $25 will be sacrificed at Five Dollars. This extraordinary offer is for Wednesday only. Patterns are by Rawak, Belnord and Gage,
FIVE DOLLARS

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Pork Slightly Lower; Plenty Dressed Poultry

Little Change in General Market; Oranges and Grape Fruit Come in Quantity.

Pork has dropped a little in price the last week. Most of the cuts run about five cents cheaper than they did a week ago. The ham roast, center cut, may be bought from thirty to thirty-five cents a pound. Pork chops are now quoted at twenty-five to twenty-eight cents a pound; pork steak, a shoulder cut at from twenty to twenty-five cents, and the ham cuts at twenty-five to thirty cents per pound for center cut.

Full dressed chickens are quoted at from thirty-two to thirty-five cents a pound, with very little demand for ducks, geese and turkeys. The demand is so light that the merchant hesitates to quote them at all saying that it depends upon the prices in the city market when such a fowl is called for.

RABBITS PLENTIFUL.

Rabbits are now quoted at thirty and thirty-five cents each and there are some shrimps in the market at thirty cents a pound. Channel cat which has been scarce for some time, is now coming in in nice quantities and they are buying this and other fish much more briskly than for the last few weeks. There are some smelts at thirty cents a pound.

LITTLE CHANGE.

In the general kitchen market there has been little change. Leaf lettuce is inclined to run a little higher being quoted at from twenty-five to thirty cents a pound.

The banana question remains more or less a serious one with the dealer. There are nice bananas in the market and they are priced either by the pound or by the dozen. At twelve cents a pound or else at fifty cents a dozen, and this is not considered a reasonable profit by the men who handle them. The banana being bought green, by the pound, loses some weight in handling and the stalks are heavy. Some stalks have been known to weigh as much as six pounds.

GRAPEFRUIT.

Grapefruit may now be bought from five cents to ten cents each and at this price becomes a very reasonable fruit for the breakfast table. Oranges are beginning to come in in quantities from Florida, and the price of oranges ranges from twenty-five cents to eighty cents a dozen. Red emperor grapes are quoted from two pounds for a quarter to fifteen cents a pound. There is endive at twenty cents a pound, egg plants at from twenty to thirty cents a pound and California tomatoes that are priced at thirty cents a pound. A few artichokes may be had at thirty cents each, and cauliflower ranges from twenty-five cents a head to seventy-five, depending upon the weight.

It is plum pudding time and many of the women are busy getting this dessert ready. The market is full of the makings, and it seems an ideal time.

FISH MARKET

Shrimps—30c lb.
Halibut—30c lb.
Salmon—30c lb.
Lake trout—30c lb.
White fish—30c lb.
Channel cat—30c lb.
Bullhead catfish—30c lb.
Pike—30c lb.
Croppies—20c lb.
Sunfish—20c lb.
Ciscoes—20c.
Buffalo and carp—15 and 20c lb.

QUOTATIONS

The following prices prevail:
Apples—Grimes Golden, 40c pk., $1.40 bu.
Apples—Jonathan, 50c pk.; $2.00 bu.
Bananas—12c lb. 50c dozen.
Brussell sprouts—40c and 35c qt.
Cabbage—3c lb.; $1.35 per cwt.
Celery cabbage—15c, 25c 35c.
Cranberries—15c lb.
Carrots—4c.
Celery—5c to 10c.
Cauliflower—30c and 35c head.
Comb honey—25c and 30c lb.
Eggs, fresh—60 and 65c.
Grapes, Tokay—15c.
Red Emperor grapes—2 lbs. for 25c.
Garlic—30c lb.
Grapefruit—5c to 2 for 25c.
Leeks—10c.
Lemons—50c and 90c doz.
Lettuce, leaf—25c and 30c a lb.
Lettuce, head—15c and 25c.
Mangoes—5c each.
Onions, dry—4c lb.
Onions, Spanish—10c lb.
Onions, green—5c and 10c.
Oranges—25c to 80c a doz.
Parsnips—4c lb.
Popcorn—3 lbs. for 25c.
Parsley—5c bunch.
Potatoes, Irish—25c pk.; $1.00 bu.; $1.90 bag.
Potatoes, sweet—35c per peck.
Rutabags—4c.
Squash Hubbard—25c, 30c, 35c.
Squash, sweet potato—10c each.
Turnips—4c lb.; 30c pk.
Prunes—25c lb.
Potato chips—10c bag.
Cheese, Nippy—15c pkt.
Cheese, pimento—18c tin, 40c lb.
Cheese, cream—30c lb.
Cheese, brick—40c lb.
American Club Cream—30c to 42c lb.
Hickory nuts—$3 and $3.75 per bu.; 3 lbs., 25c.
Walnuts—$2.00 bu.
English walnuts—35c lb.
Oysters—35c pt.
Dressed chickens—32 and 35c lb.
Creamy butter—50c and 53c lb.
Pumpkins—10c, 15c.
Radishes—5c, 10c.
Spinach—15c lb.
Mustard—15c lb.
Breakfast bacon—28c to 50c.

IVESDALE MAN IS GIVEN SURPRISE

Ivesdale, Dec. 8—A number of relatives and friends gave Andrew Whalen a pleasant surprise at his home north of town, Sunday evening.

The evening was pleasantly passed in playing games and the "hard-time" costumes of those present added to the enjoyment. Refreshments of sandwiches pickles and coffee were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Auth, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Auth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grady, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabaka, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boland, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Will Anders, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. John Somers, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Somers, Mr. and Mrs. Erve Cain, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuvell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maley, Will Whalen and son Francis and Misses Mabel and Helen Rawlings.

Mrs. Will Brady of Virginia is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Zebrit, north of town.

Tim Clark of Decatur passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clark.

Miss Julia Sloan went to Champaign Tuesday to visit relatives.

Tommie Fox returned Tuesday from a visit with his brother in Newman.

TO GIVE PLAY.

"The Captain of Plymouth" will be given by the Bement H. S. Glee club in the A. & H. hall, Friday evening, Dec. 8, under the auspices of the R. N. of A. for the benefit of Mercy hospital, Champaign. A dance will be held after the play.

Mike Doyle returned from Decatur last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kelley of Tolono were Ivesdale callers, Sunday.

William Koss of Sadorus was a caller here, Tuesday.

T. C. Bordus returned to the Wabash shops, Decatur, after an eight week's absence, due to having his thumb cut off.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Auth motored to Champaign Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ganley moved to their farm, south of town, Tuesday. M. Loftus and daughters will move into the property vacated by Mr. Ganley, which Mr. Loftus recently purchased.

Robert Taylor passed Monday and Tuesday in Decatur.

Jack Berrigan of Tolono was a caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Edwin Anders returned from Decatur Tuesday.

Pete Sutter of Decatur visited relatives and friends Sunday.

John Feeney is receiving treatment for blood-poisoning in St. Mary's hospital, Decatur.

Jim Doty was called to Atwood Tuesday by the serious illness of his sister.

Miss Mary Creighton returned to Decatur Sunday, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. M. Creighton.

Roy Hennon passed Monday in Decatur.

Willard Fairbanks of Bement was an Ivesdale visitor Tuesday.

Will Schum of Decatur passed Sunday with relatives.

John Boland was a Bement caller Tuesday.

Jack Thompson, Brown Byerline and Miss Rowena Baker of Bement were Ivesdale visitors, Tuesday evening.

BOODY.

Miss Belva Cox of Blue Mound was the guest of Miss Lucille Evans Sunday.

Mrs. O. W. Chandler was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Mrs. Harry Johnson and little son of Decatur visited relatives here this week.

Glenn Nolle returned to St. Louis Sunday after a few days' visit here with relatives.

Frank Lynch of Decatur was a visitor here Wednesday.

Ralph Heerdt and wife were in St. Louis Monday.

E. W. Jokisch and wife of Decatur spent Sunday here with Ralph Williams and family.

J. A. Eaton of Stonington visited here Wednesday.

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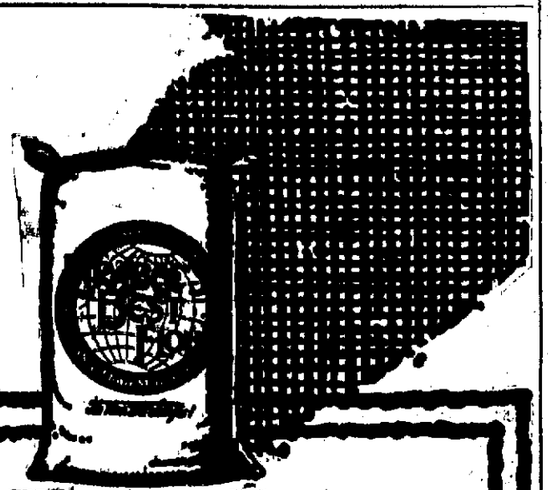

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Favorite Recipes

Fruit Carrot Pudding.

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Cream 1 cup suet, add 2 2-3 cups stale bread crumbs and 1 cup grated raw carrot Beat the yolks of 4 eggs until very light and add gradually while beating constantly, 1 1-3 cups brown sugar Combine mixtures and add grated rind of 1 lemon and 1 tablespoon strong vinegar. Mix 1 cup raisins, seeded and cut in pieces, and ¾ cup currants, then dredge with 1-3 cup flour mixed and sifted with 1½ teaspoons salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon grated nutmeg, ¼ teaspoon clove, Add to other mixture, then add whites 4 eggs beaten until stiff Turn into a buttered mold decorated with raisins and citron Cover and steam 3½ hours.

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MRS. MARY EVANS BURIED AT BEMENT

Funeral Service Is Held Thursday Afternoon.

Bement, Dec. 8—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Evans were held in the home of her son, Darl Evans, at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Daniels, Christian Science reader of Danville, read John XIV. C. R. Thompson sang "Shadows." Burial was in Bement cemetery.

BORN IN 1835.

Mary E. Hopkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hopkins, was born in Winchester, Jan. 4, 1835, and died in Bement Dec. 2, 1922.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

She was united in marriage with James C. Evans at Winchester, Mar. 23, 1852. In 1856 they moved to a farm near Bement and in 1870 moved to town Here they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1902 and in the next year Mr. Evans died. Of the children born to them there are living Mrs S. S. Jones of Watseka, Charles E Evans of Decatur, Darl Evans of Bement, Albert Evans of Twin Falls, Ida., Mrs. Ellen McKay of Hollywood, Calif., Mrs. H. A. DeVeaux of Los Angeles, Calif. Will Evans, their oldest son, died in Twin Falls Ind., last April and his mother took his death deeply to heart.

Mrs. Evans also leaves her sister, Mrs. A. T Major of Whitewright, Tex., and her brothers Richard Hopkins of Los Angeles, Calif. and Frank Hopkins of Cody, Wyo.

In the early years of her residence here Mrs. Evans was subjected to the hardships incident to pioneer life, yet she never lost her faith in her God. She was a neighbor to whom one could go for help either spiritual or temporal, certain of receiving it

For a number of years Mrs Evans had been a Christian Science practitioner.

Those from out of town who attended her funeral were Mr. and Mrs. C E Evans, Mr and Mrs. George Hopkins, Mrs. Mary A Ruby, Mrs. C. A. Burks, Mrs. Murray Collyer and Eugene Evans of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs Oscar Hopkins and daughter Hortense, Champaign, Clarence Evans, Cokeville Wyo., Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jones, Watseka Mr and Mrs. Ralph Evans, Mr. and Mrs Everett Heltz, Hammond, Mrs August Hammerschmidt and daughter Vera of Monticello.

PERSONAL NOTES

Sam Strohl and family and Smith Haney and family will go to Decatur next Tuesday.

The ten months old child of Mr and Mrs Smith Haney, which has been very sick, is on the road to recovery.

TOWER HILL LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Tower Hill Dec 8—The following officers were elected Monday night at a meeting of the Tower Hill Rebekah lodge Noble grand, Mrs Rhoda Eiler Vice grand, Miss Mary Schoch secretary Mrs Nellie Shanks financial secretary Mrs Eva Cannon, treasurer Mrs Ollie Moore trustees, Mrs Jessie Twiss J L Cannon Walter Eiler, E M. Sibbitt and Lloyd Read.

Mr and Mrs F W. Stumpf spent Wednesday in Shelbyville

Mrs Ines Meloon and daughter of Shelbyville spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs J P Wilkinson and family

The Gleaners class of the Methodist Episcopal church gave a community Thanksgiving dinner which proved to be a success, both socially and financially $71 34 being cleared after all expenses were paid

Mrs Della Nerstheimer is the guest of relatives in Springfield this week.

Frank Simpson and sister, Miss Alice Simpson, spent Sunday in Cowden.

Wendell Shanks and Thurman Shanks of Nokomis spent the latter part of the week with relatives in this vicinity.

John McLean of Chicago visited his brother, E L McLean, and wife, Tuesday.

C L Twiss was confined to his home by illness several days last week.

Miss Alameta Sturgeon of Hillsboro visited relatives here several days last week.

Mrs Jessie Twiss spent Wednesday evening in Pana.

Frank Simpson and James Baumgarten spent Friday afternoon in Shelbyville.

Mrs. John Lockard of Pana visited Mrs Wesley Metsker a couple of days last week.

RESUME WORK ON MT. AUBURN WELL

Casing That Collapsed Has Been Recovered.

Mt. Auburn, Dec 8—The work of removing the six-inch casing which collapsed at a depth of 1,365 feet at the oil well south of town two weeks ago, was completed Saturday and drilling was resumed Sunday

The removing of this casing has been a difficult and tedious piece of work and has required many extra tools to complete the task. Contractor E. E Chrysler has been on the job constantly At the beginning of this last difficulty he stated that he could drill a new well at a less cost than to remove this collapsed casing, but as he had never lost a well he intended to keep at this casing until it was removed

Mr and Mrs Emery V. Bailey and son Ralph were Decatur visitors recently.

Born to Mr and Mrs Roscoe Patrick, a boy Dec. 6, second child

Mr and Mrs. Logan White and small son of Grove city, visited here recently with the former's father, J E White and family

Calvin Augur Mrs Walter Rutherford son Harold and daughter Edith visited recently with the former's wife at the Decatur and Macon County hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fleshman have returned from a short visit with friends at Morrisonville

Leonard Davidson of Decatur visited here recently with his brother, Virgil Davidson and family

Mrs Henry Towles and children of Taylorville visited here last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Cassie Foster.

Mr and Mrs. J Prophater returned Monday from visiting a few days with relatives in Decatur

Miss Eva Krewson returned Monday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ora Himstedt in Decatur.

Mr and Mrs. Lesle Smith and daughter Wilmeth visited recently with Mrs. Smith's sister Mrs Oscar Miller and family in Decatur.

Floyd Davis was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Childers and Mrs. Deathridge visited recently with relatives in Blue Mound.

Mrs. Ralston of Decatur visited over the week-end with her aunt, Mrs John Alexander and family.

Mrs Russell Baughman and son Warren: Jones of near Edinburg are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Hardy.

Mrs. G Banks and Miss Fleming of Taylorville visited friends here Tuesday.

James Landreth of Oklahoma city, Okla. is visiting his brother Roy Landreth and family

Mrs Margaret Disney and children have returned from a week's visit with relatives at Farmersville.

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CHOICE ROUND STEAK	20c	ARMOUR'S STAR HAMS	24c
CHOICE LOIN STEAK	20c	SALTED SIDE PORK	17c
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FRESH HEARTS, 3 LB. FOR	25c	FRESH SPARE RIBS	14c
FRESH BRAINS	11c	SUGAR CURED SKINNED HAMS	20c
NATIVE VEAL ROAST	19c	BEST BACON BY THE PIECE	22c
NATIVE VEAL CHOPS	23c	SUGAR CURED BACON SQUARES	18c
FRESH VEAL STEW	11c	CENTER SLICES SMOKED HAM	35c

FRESH LEAN HAMBURG STEAK ....3 LBS. FOR 25c
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Heinz Apple Butter 2 pound jar	38c	Heinz Mincemeat 2 Pound tin	48c
1 POUND JAR	22c	1 POUND TIN	28c
Heinz Peanut Butter Large Jar	28c	Heinz Cream Tomato Soup Large tin	15c
SMALL JAR	20c	SMALL TIN	12c
Heinz Spaghetti Large Can	18c	Heinz Pudding, Fig and Plum—Large tin	35c
2 CANS	35c	Heinz Relish 1 pound Jar	28c
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COCOA—SELF SEALING JAR PER POUND	25c	MONARCH BRAND PANCAKE FLOUR, 20-oz. size	10c
LIBBY'S APPLE BUTTER 2 POUNDS	25c	BULK HIGH-GRADE, MOIST MINCE MEAT, per pound	15c
BULK KRAUT, per Quart	10c	GOOD 4-SEWED BROOM	65c
No. 2 Size Table PEACHES—Heavy Syrup, can	15c	Blanke's Mojav Coffee, per pound	35c
10 BARS P. & G. SOAP FOR	45c	2 Lb. Can	65¢
MAPLE CITY SOAP—10 BARS FOR	40c	CRISCO—2 ONE POUND CANS	45c

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5 lb. Lima Beans	55c
1 large can Oak Crest Pineapple	35c
1 large can very best Peaches	35c
1 medium size can Warder Pineapple	27c
1 can Good Corn	10c
1 can Hy-grade Country Gentleman Corn	17c
2 cans Good Peas	25c
1 can No. 1 Pears	20c
1 can Del Monte Sliced Apricots	30c
1 can Fowler Apricots	20c
1 can Good Blackberries	25c
Potatoes, peck	25c
10 bars P. & G. Naptha Soap	45c
10 bars Maple City Soap	40c
10 bars Kirk's Flake White soap	40c
10 bars Crystal White soap	45c
5 lbs. Package Blue Ribbon Oats	25c
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Small Fresh Pork Loins	18½c	Native Beef Rib Roast	14c
Fresh Pork Butts	17½c	Choice Beef Pot Roast	8c
Small Fresh Pork Shoulders	13½c	Fresh Lean Beef Boil	6½c
Small Loin Pork Chops	19½c	Choice Sirloin Steak	20c
Pure Pork Sausage	14c	Sugar Cured Regular Hams	19c
Choice Veal Roast	18c	Sugar Cured Picnic Hams	15c
Native Veal Chops	20c	Sugar Cured Bacon Squares	16c
Fresh Sliced Liver	5c	Sugar Cured Bacon	22c
Fresh Short Spare Ribs	6c	Pure Lard	13½c

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SULLIVAN PYTHIAN SISTERS' ELECTION

Installation First Monday in January.

Sullivan, Dec. 8—Lily Temple No. 19, Order Pythian sisters, at the regular stated meeting Monday night held in Pythian hall elected the following officers for the coming year:

Past Chief—Mrs. Lizzie Potter.

Most Excellent Chief—Mrs. Samantha Callahan.

Most Excellent Senior—Mrs. Stella Drew.

Most Excellent Junior—Mrs. Maude Wood.

Mistress Records and Correspondence—Mrs. Josie Roney.

Mistress of Finance—Mrs. Lizzie Eden.

Manager of Temple—Mrs. Lizzie Foster.

Protector of Temple—Mrs. Lizzie Harsh.

Outside Guard—Miss Blanche Monroe.

The Mistress of records and correspondence and the Mistress of finance made their itemized reports for the last year and the auditing committees report was received at this meeting.

The installation of officers will take place on the first Monday night in January 1923.

The firm of Dolan and Lewis shipped two carloads of fat cattle to Chicago this week.

Attorneys E. J. Miller, Roy Patterson and O. F. Cochran went to Chicago Wednesday to attend the hearing of the Wolf-Cunningham case in one of the Chicago Courts. Attorney Miller represents one of the clients in the case.

ENTERTAINED.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Higgin entertained the members of the Executive Committee of the Farm Bureau at a 12 o'clock dinner in their home on Washington street. This is an annual affair which is given by Mr. and Mrs. Higgins to the officials.

DEBATE K. K. K.

The English classes Nos. 6 and 7 of the Sophomores of the Sullivan township high school will debate the subject of the Ku Klux Klan at the auditorium of the high school building next Wednesday, Dec. 13.

The members of the Methodist church choir enjoyed a "pot luck" supper at the church Thursday evening at the regular weekly practice of the large chorus choir.

John Cox of Kansas City, Mo., was recently calling on old-time Sullivan friends. Mr. Cox is the grandson of "Uncle Johnny" Freeland and was born and reared to manhood in the old Freeland home, which stood on the tract of land where the Freeland auditorium now stands in the Freeland grove, which bears the name of the former owner, Freeland.

Mrs. Gay Fleming most pleasantly entertained the members of the Sew-a-Bit club Thursday afternoon in her home on Hamilton street.

Miss Margaret Bishop entertained a party of eight or ten of her friends at a six o'clock dinner in her home on Madison street Thursday evening.

The Sullivan merchants are decorating their show windows with many Christmas suggestions in their lines. Many of these windows show considerable artistic taste.

GOING SOUTH.

Andrew Corbin is preparing to leave next Tuesday, Dec. 12, for Palm Beach, Fla. He plans to make the trip in his car. He expects to spend the winter with his wife and son, who went to Palm Beach about one month ago.

The meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Episcopal church held Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Albert Brown on Monroe street was largely attended. The lesson subject was well handled, showing the members had been doing some good work in the study of the lesson.

The Sunshine club of the Rebekah lodge will have on sale many beautiful articles of needlework and fancy work at their bazaar and doughnut fry in the room adjoining the McPheeters drug store on the south next Saturday.

The Sunshine class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will hold a bakery sale in the W. R. Robinson furniture store on the east side of the square Saturday.

41 CONVERSIONS AT STONINGTON

Revival in Baptist Church a Success.

Stonington, Dec. 8 — The revival which recently closed at the Baptist church in Stonington was a splendid success in every way and the entire community has profited by it. There were forty-one conversions, a very large part of whom were adults and heads of families.

Mr. Rueckert proved himself to be a singer of rare ability and did a fine piece of work with the choir under his direction. The pastor of the church, Rev. Jesse R. Hastings, delivered the messages throughout the series of meetings and preached the word plainly and fearlessly, yet without the sensationalism that characterizes some evangelists.

Thus far thirty-one of the converts have been baptized and have united with the Baptist church. A few of the others likely will identify themselves with the Methodist church.

TWO CONFESS TO MATTOON ROBBERY

Mattoon, Dec. 8.—Within an hour following the report of the hold up and robbery of Walter Hill, a contractor, at his home, 417 North Seventeenth street, two Mattoon young men were arrested and after five hours of interrogation, confessed to committing the crime. Following their confession, a third young man was arrested.

The men charged with the crime, and who are confined to the city jail awaiting a preliminary hearing are: Amos ("Ted") Miller, residing three miles north of Mattoon; Paul Jones, 2321 Champaign avenue, and Walter Crabtree, 2817 Champaign avenue.

Following the arrest of Miller and Jones, Hill was called to the police station and positively identified them as being the two who had held him up.

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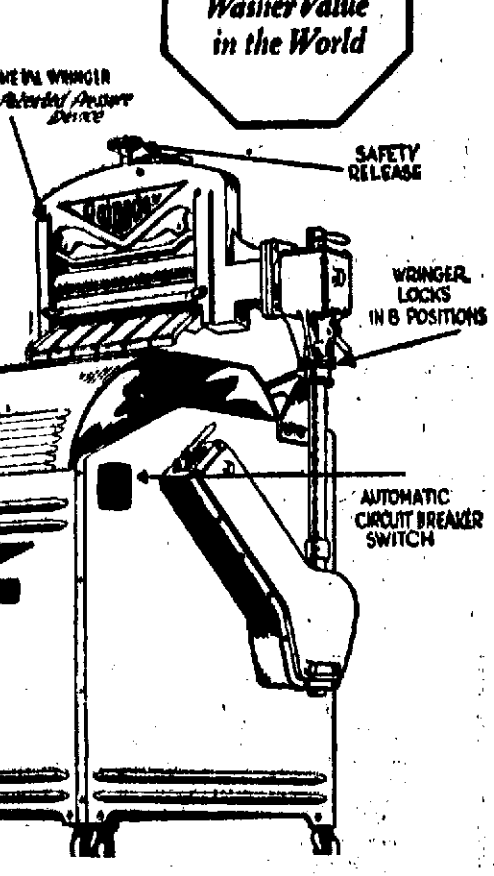

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We will be glad to demonstrate the Gainaday washer in your home without any obligation on your part as a special inducement until December 24. We will accept an initial payment of $5.00 and give you one year to pay balance.

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Within three days the people of this state will learn through the newspapers of a wonderful preparation for Pyorrhea—MOAVA DENTAL CREAM—the discovery of a well known Rochester, N. Y., dentist.

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Then You Have Something to Learn.

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SHELBY FARMER SHOOTS HIMSELF

William Craig, Despondent, Commits Suicide.

Stewardson, Dec. 8.—William Craig who had lived in this town and community ever since his birth fifty-four years ago, killed himself by shooting in the old sorghum mill on his farm early Thursday morning. The shot was heard by others, and when Henry Fritz and Fred Ludar, neighbors, reached the scene, Craig was dead. Despondency over the burning of a barn in a Hallowe'en fire is blamed for Mr. Craig's act.

Mr. Craig is survived by his wife and four children—Arnold and Eleanor at home, Mrs. Letha Cherry and Miss Lucille Craig at Flint, Mich. He also leaves one brother and one sister. Coroner Roy W. Johnson of Shelbyville conducted an inquest, and a verdict in accordance with the above statement of facts was returned by the jury.

NEW STEWARDSON PLANT ENCLOSED

Packing Company Soon to Install Machinery.

Stewardson, Dec. 8—The Stewardson Packing Co. of this city has its new, two story brick packing plant [illegible] and will be ready in a few days to commence installing the machinery and probably will be ready to commence butchering by the first of the year.

The new plant is built in connection with their ice plant. This will be the largest and best equipped plant of its kind in this part of the state.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Crews and wife of this city transacted business in Decatur Monday.

Walter Aschenbrehmer of St. Louis visited his parents in this city Sunday and Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Myer of Chicago are visiting his parents here and hunting rabbits.

[illegible] of East St. Louis visited [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. H. H. York, Sr., [illegible] Harry York, and family [illegible] York, in this city the [illegible] mother, Mrs. H. H. York, [illegible] health.

[illegible] of this city is visiting [illegible] in Indiana.

[illegible] and wife of St. Louis, Mo., [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lowery, in this city, the last week.

A very much needed rain fell here Sunday night and Monday.

Fred Hartman of Strasburg, Ill., transacted business in this city Saturday.

Fred Bruns and family of this city motored to Sullivan, Ill., Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Voris of this city a daughter, Friday, Nov. 24, 1922.

Rev. C. Keller and wife of Strasburg were visitors in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Alfa Schuyler and son Earl, Mrs. Tracy Hoyer and Edwin Hoyer transacted business in Effingham Saturday.

The revival meeting at the Free Methodist church in this city is still going on and is meeting with success.

Mrs. Homer Logan and Mrs. William Logan of this city visited Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Metzler and family in Villa Grove, Ill., last week.

The Donaldson Mercantile company of this city has improved its store rooms by a fine up-to-date office room, which was built in the rear of one of the large sales rooms.

ATWOOD PEOPLE AT INTERNATIONAL

Atwood, Dec. 8—Cap Gross, Frank Schuman agricultural teacher in the Atwood high school, Hans Conits and son, Verne and Millard Monroe, left Tuesday night for Chicago to attend the International Stock show there. They went through in autos and are planning to return Saturday.

The Misses Edna Belmore, Hattie Koshal, and Helen Garrett were in Tuscola Friday.

Mrs. Johnson and daughters Ellen and Eleanor of Decatur visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Foster from Wednesday until Monday.

Miss Mildred Doty passed away at her home Tuesday morning about 11:15. Mrs. Clyde Wiley a sister from Tuscola, is here.

George McKune and daughter Mary left for their home in Indiana Monday morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Weatherford.

Ruth Reigel and brother visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pratt Monday.

Miss Emma Hall of Tuscola was here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Snyder, Frank Burk, and Alfred Jergens were Monticello visitors Tuesday.

Born, Saturday, Dec. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. George Harder, a daughter. She has been named Georgia Anne.

Rev. and Mrs. Lew E. Baldwin were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Besore and family were in Tuscola Wednesday.

Miss Ada Hall was called to Decatur Wednesday noon on account of the serious illness of her sister.

Alex Bercher was in Springfield Tuesday.

Miss Nelle McClain was a Decatur visitor Wednesday.

MANSFIELD.

William Warren took a carload of chickens to the Chicago market Monday.

Frank Dilatush and George Haines of Monticello, were in Mansfield Wednesday.

H. W. Lawson has repurchased the restaurant from Dan Dysor Wednesday. Mr. Lawson sold it to Mr. Dysor last summer but will again run the restaurant in connection with the bakery.

Mrs. John Berkenholdt of Bloomington visited her sick mother, Mrs. Julius Roth, Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Roth remains quite poorly.

Word has been received that Mrs. Minnie Champion, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arch Welton, in Petersburg, W. Va., has been quite sick and under the care of a physician. Mrs. Champion rented her home here and left for West Virginia two weeks ago.

Rev. J. E. Evans called on Dr. L. E. Clark at Burnham hospital in Champaign Thursday evening.

E. E. Pifer of Eureka was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Jesse Markland of near Monticello visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clemans, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slager were Bloomington visitors Wednesday.

The Methodist church basketball team was defeated on the local floor Wednesday night by the Methodist church team at Champaign by a score 88 to 11.

W. M. Ewing of Champaign, made his regular trip Tuesday night to instruct the band.

Miss Vernabel Wack, who is clerking in Champaign spent the week-end with her parents, south of town.

10¢ "CASCARETS" FOR BOWELS

When Sick, Bilious, Headachy, Constipated, for Sour Stomach, Gases, Bad Breath, Colds

Your bowels may seem regular—move every day—yet your thirty feet of bowels may be lined with poisonous waste which is being sucked into your blood, keeping you half sick, nervous, despondent and upset. Whether you have headache, colds, sour stomach, indigestion, or heart palpitation, it is usually from bowel poison.

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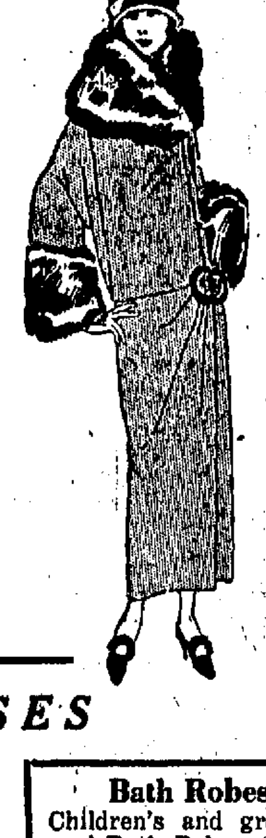
Children's Scarf Sets. A useful Christmas Gift. Special.............. **$2.95**

Coats and Dresses At January Prices



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Silk Camisoles, $1.48
Silk Camisoles of Wash Satin, lace trimmed or tailored effects; some with two rows of elastic; plain and two-tone color effects; dark and light. All sizes, price.......... **$1.48**

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Children's and grown-ups' Bath Robes, trimmed with satin and tailored; cords to match —dark and medium colors; all sizes— **$1.99, $6.99**

Kimonas, $2.48-3.98
Kimonas of genuine Serpentine Crepe trimmed with Satin ribbon; especially attractive styles; all colors and all sizes— **$2.48, $3.98**

Corduroy Robes, $3.48
Robes and Breakfast coats of corduroy; red, blue, lavender and rose; good styles, well made; all sizes— priced each **$3.48**

Lingette Camisoles, 99c
Camisoles of Lingette; hemstitched and ribbon trimmed; orchid; navy, rose, black, maize and blue; all sizes, each **99c**

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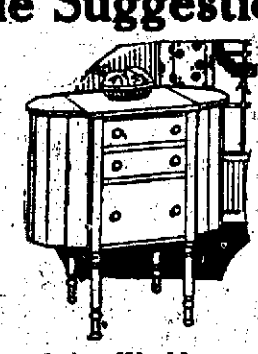

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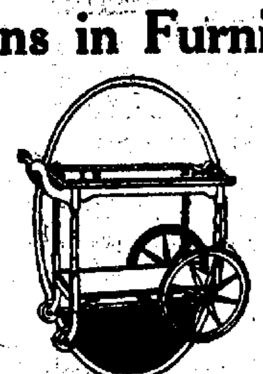

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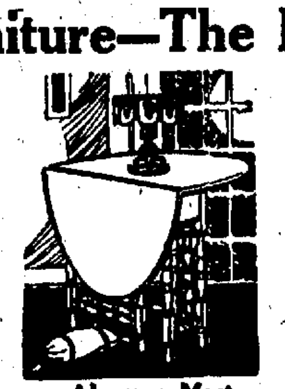

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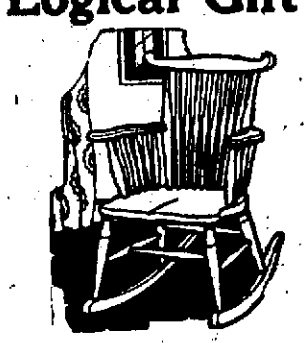

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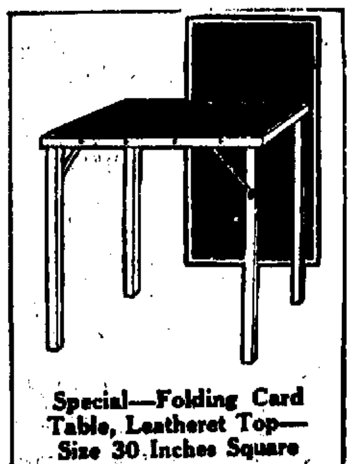
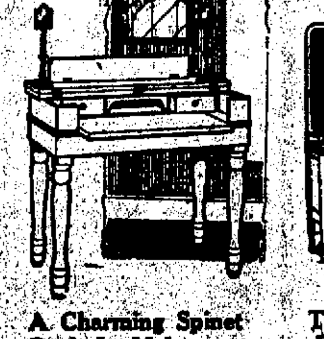
Every member of the family and all your home's vistors can enjoy its comfort, beauty and luxury every day in the year. Splendidly upholstered in two-tone velour—davenport, arm chair and fireside chair—a rare value **$195**



Special—Folding Card Table, Leatheret Top— Size 30 Inches Square $2.95



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NEXT:
More Hard Roads
More Parks and Playgrounds
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Development of the City Plan.

MEANEST CROOK OF ALL.

Judge Landis announces discovery of the meanest crook and criminal life is the fellow who engineers numerous baseball pools the country has had for some time. He is the "slipiest" and "most unclean" criminal Judge Landis ever happened onto in a wide experience.

There are a good many of these baseball pool men, for all towns of size in the country have to be looked after. We have these pools here in Decatur, and it may be they have thrived somewhat. Anyhow the profits are sufficiently encouraging to cause promoters to come back another year.

In one of these pools the player puts a quarter or a half dollar. He guesses at all the scores to be made in the day's play in the two big leagues. If he gets every score just right he stands to win something like a million dollars, or maybe it is only a thousand.

The chance of guessing all the scores is probably not better than one in ten million, or it may be ten billion. Some day some player somewhere will happen onto the winning combination. When he does he will "break the bank," and he will be lucky to collect enough to pay street car fare home.

Still we have people who play this combination right along. They figure that sometime they will win the grand prize, after which they can buy a big league team of their own. They don't worry about realization so long as they can hold on to hope.

JUDGED BY THEIR FRUITS

L. Y. Sherman tells us that he continues to have more respect for the Illinois legislature than he has for the Chicago city council. This observation appears to have a bearing on a discussion that raged between Chicago papers and downstaters a short while since.

It is claimed for Chicago that its people are just as good and dependable as the folks to be found downstate, just as desirable companions in a political movement. It was told for downstaters that they feared the electorate in Chicago, it and its works.

The argument at the time didn't get us anywhere. Chicago said it was just as good as the next fellow, that it was modesty alone that kept it from saying more. Downstate made equally strong assertions on the other side, and at that noisy point the matter rested.

It was left to Mr. Sherman to direct attention to the quality of the legislative body that Chicago selects for itself, its council, and then to say he has more respect for the legislature, the big end of which is selected downstate.

We wonder if people living in Chicago do not join Mr. Sherman in this greater respect for the legislature. If they do, the old discussion is just about settled in favor of the downstaters.

NOTHING TAKEN AWAY.

In this matter of the new constitution, why is it we are hearing so much about teachers and pensions? There are reports and intimations that the document in some way robs the teachers.

The matter is mentioned in section 206: "Any public officer or employee or his beneficiary may be given by law a vested interest in the accumulated portion of any death, disability or retirement fund to which he is required by law to contribute a part of his compensation; but such interest shall attach only to the fund accumulated and shall impose no obligation on the state to create or maintain such fund."

It is hard to see wherein that section takes anything away from anybody. It may be that somebody was asking the state to establish and guarantee certain pension funds and that he feels robbed because the state refused to do this. But it is going a little too far to say the state takes away something just because it refuses to meet a demand that something be given.

For the life of us we can't see wherein pensions have been hurt by this section 206.

HEADED TO A BAD FINISH.

We hear stories of a fight for bus business on Jasper street in this city. On that street there is more transportation equipment than the business demands or will support, and this usually causes some slight disturbance.

It seems too bad when a man finds himself engaged in a fight of that kind, for there is no prospect he can be a winner in the end. It is true that one fighter may stand his ground longer and drive out the others, and then where does he find himself?

After he has driven off competition and has the street to himself, the neighbors put him down as another octopus. In a little while, especially if he shows the slightest sign of budding prosperity, he becomes a soulless corporation that is grinding the face of the poor and filling the land with widows and orphans.

In other words, if he wins the first fight he at once proceeds to lose his soul. After this the first victims, aided and abetted by all the innocent bystanders, proceed to pluck from him all his tail feathers. The chances are he will not look pretty when they get done with him.

MAYOR SHANK HAS THE SYSTEM.

Somehow we often find ourselves turning to Mayor Lew Shank of Indianapolis when the horizon clouds up with black troubles. He tries to justify the reliance we impose in him. And now he is going to help out in the matter of speeders.

Mayor Shank proposes to have these speeders tested for sanity. He has a testing squad in his town and he means to keep it busy on these fiends. It is going to be tough on the fellow who is captured and turned in for an official test.

It is just possible the speeder won't pass the test. Then he will be held for further observation, which means he will have to get along without his liberty a while longer.

The testing squad may in the end find the speeder to be wrong mentally, and then he may be put away in a hospital for months while taking the rest cure. It is impossible to tell in advance just how much these sanity testers will do to a fellow after they get hands on him. If they want to find him mentally deficient, they are smart enough to hang the goods on him. If he gives any back talk they will write it down against him in the record, and just a few lines of this may show his to be an incurable case.

TRY TO GET AROUND IT

Some emphasis is laid on the fact that the new constitution provides an appropriation measure in finished form must be on the desk of every member of the legislature three days before final vote is taken. This should be a help in reducing unworthy appropriations, for it is much better than the practice we now have of jamming all these big measures through in the final few hours of the session, and done in such a way as to make it impossible for members to be acquainted with the thing for which they are voting money.

It is wondered what means the legislature will find to get around this provision in the new constitution. It may be they can't turn the trick, but one can be sure they will try. They have been doing the jamming process a long while, and they won't want to give it up.

And how will these honorables put in the time, the three days between laying the last appropriation measures on the desks and the hour for final vote on them?

IT IS A BIG CONTRACT.

Superintendent J. J. Richeson has given a definition of education that is worthy of more than passing attention: "Education is designed as a means of developing individuals to their fullest capacities, that they may give their best in service to society, to the state, and to the home."

It sounds quite good. Take a youngster and develop him to his limit. When this is accomplished of course he is educated, there is nothing more to be brought out of him. There is nothing to be said against this aim of education.

It is a big contract, but the only thing is to work toward that end.

WHY SOME RATES ARE HIGH.

In connection with closing the Planters hotel in St. Louis, a hostelry that lasted for a period of 105 years, we read a detail that is interesting.

On the last day the hotel had 250 guests and 254 servants and employes. There was a fraction more than a servant for each guest of the place. If this is the rule in other hotels, we should not wonder that rates are thought by some to be high.

The Planters was always quite a hotel, in the place they knew how to take care of a guest. The bill was considered pretty steep, but there was a lot of service. With a servant for each guest, we begin to understand why the rate had to be high. How about other hotels?

The champion beef steer this year in Chicago sold at $1.25 a pound on the hoof, and the hotel guests to whom it is to be served will care only for the short cuts.

If you read all the published "suggestions" you will be able to find something that fits into that Christmas present.

And the plumbers might have mentioned that when they get through collecting their own bill it is hard scratching to get any more.

We don't understand just why Mr. Sherman wasn't interested in the revenue sections of the constitution.

If you put off that shopping there is no telling what sort of disagreeable weather you will bump into.

Have you seen Clara Phillips? If you haven't you are clear out of the fashion of the day.

There are ten miles of bad road this side of Springfield, but you don't need to go that far.

Probably the burglars who took those Christmas seals thought they were postage stamps.

We have had coal mines shut down in July because of no orders, but this time we have the story in December.

If it will only keep on raining, folks at Pana will just keep on pumping out of their reservoir.

When good fellows get together of course the fog in the weather isn't allowed to vote and be counted.

Little Benny's Notebook

Sundey afternoon pop was taking a nap on the setting room sofer and snoring to himself, and ma called him about 4 times on account of dinnir being reddy and after a wile pop jumped up and stretched hmself and quick put on his coller and tie, putting his coller on rite but putting his tie on rong side out, me saying, G, pop, do you know wat you went and did?

No, wat did I go and do? pop sed, and I sed, You want and put your neck tie on rong side out.

No, tha dooce I did, pop sed. And he stopped down stairs in the hall and looked in the hat rack mirrer, saying, So I did, O well, wats the diffrents, with the werld full of reel trubbles sutch as starvation in Russia and the coal situation rite heer.

And we went in the dining room and ma sed, Well heer you are at last, I never saw such a family for not coming down to meels, a persin mite think this was some kind of a hotel, and now wares Gladds. O Willyum for mersey sakes your tie is on rong side out, the seem shows.

So it seems, pop sed.

Now how in the werld did you ever come to do that? ma sed, and pop sed, Well Ill tell you, I suddinly realized variety is the spice of life so I put my tie on rong side out.

I never herd of sutch a thing, ma sed. Wich jest then my sister Gladdis came down, saying, Wy, father.

My tie's on rong side out pop sed.

O, you know it, Gladdis sed and pop sed, Certeny I know it and not ony that, but Im proud of it.

And we ate suppir without enybody saying enything elts about pops neck tie but jest looking at it every once in a wile and pop leeving on heident notice us.

LEE PAPE.

Weather is Argument Against Early Congress

Republican Leaders and Shop-Keepers Not In Favor of Jan. 1 Date.

By Mark Sullivan.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8—While there is good evidence that President Harding personally has no particular sympathy with going through the process of a constitutional amendment in order to change the date of the beginning of newly elected congresses, most of the other regular Republican leaders have no marked antipathy to it.

Many of them in fact, urged it long before LaFollette brought it up recently. So conservative an organization as the American bar association has gone on record in favor of it.

CONCRETE ADVANTAGE.

President Harding's hesitancy seems to lie in his belief that the present system is a concrete advantage. The theory is that the electorate may vote in haste and the country may be the better on occasions for a period of reflection between the casting of the vote and the assembling of the new congress.

But the proposal that the congress elected in November should come together and go to work in January does not create much excitement among the regular Republicans generally.

UNPLEASANT TIME.

The chief objection brought forward is one of weather. The new proposal would cause the President, every four years to be inaugurated on the same day as the assembling of the new congress. And January in Washington is a very unpleasant time for the parades and other features of a Presidential inauguration.

The Washington shop-keepers can be expected to do what they can in opposition. On several recent occasions when the March 4 inauguration has been embarrassed by bad weather there have been proposals not to advance the date but to postpone it until the milder month of May.

NO EXCITEMENT.

Neither is there much excitement among the regular Republican leaders about the elimination of the archaic electoral college. That would be a perfunctory innovation, so long as the voting by states is retained. And even the progressive leaders want to retain the voting by states.

As to the proposals for farm credit, the regular Republicans have already drafted bills which go as far as any, except the most extreme radicals demand, in the direction of setting up institutions for farm credit under the auspices of the Federal Government and with the initial capital advanced from the Federal Treasury. It is in the matter of taxation, when it comes up, that there will be a real contrast of position between the conservatives and radicals.

17 and 18 will be represented from this district by William Grimes of Rosemond, Dwight Hart of Edinburg, Frank Garwood of Stonington and George Spates of Taylorville.

The Northwestern Christian Advocate this week gives a very interesting writeup of Bert Rope, a Taylorville boy.

Mr Rope has been in China several years, where he is the principal of the Chungking high school. The enrollment at this school is the largest in its history and 89 percent of its graduates go into Christian work.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

DEC. 8, 1912.

The seventeenth annual Review prize story contest was won by Arley M. Cash. Second prize was won by Robert Riggs, third by Helen Wasson and fourth by Henrietta Graybill.

Shooting game from autos along the highways was becoming a popular pastime with hunters but unpopular with farmers.

G. W. Lipscomb was elected superintendent of the Central Church of Christ Sunday school.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

The temperature was two degrees above.

Messenger boys for the Western Union received a raise in wages from $12.50 a month to $15.

Miss Sarah Allen gave a bust of Shakespeare to the Woman's Club in honor of her sister, Caroline Allen.

Ice had formed on sloughs along the river and crowds of skaters were out.

Lorado Taft, the sculptor, assisted by Leonard Crunelle, gave an entertainment at the Powers theater as the third number of the Y. M. C. A. lecture.

FARMERS ENDORSE NEW CONSTITUTION

Taylorville, Dec. 8.—The board of the Christian County Farm Bureau met Tuesday afternoon for its regular monthly meeting. At the meeting it was voted that the organization of the county endorse the proposed new constitution.

The state farmers' convention, which will be held in Chicago, Jan.

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Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for colds, headache, toothache, earache, neuralgia, lumbago, rheumatism, neuritis and for pain in general. Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of twenty-four and one hundred. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.
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THE LAKE.

Hearing the thunder of a lake,
Which always the rushing waters make,
I watched the waves come in and break.

Like men with silver in their hair,
Who've lived their time and breasted care,
They came to shore and vanished there.

Oh, they had traveled far and been
Through troubled days, and days serene,
Much they had known and much they'd seen.

Gray-beards, they seemed, of many years,
Wise men in laughter and in tears,
Ending their turbulent careers.

And then, at last, they reached the shore,
And with one glad, exultant roar
Found rest and peace forevermore.

Wave followed wave, the great and small,
Even the giants, towering tall,
Sharing the common fate of all.

Waves on the Sea of Life are we,
Journeying shorewards constantly
Where we shall find eternity.

Oh, man of might—oh, giant mind,
Reaching the port that all will find,
Would you could turn to look behind!

If you could stay to look upon
The sea o'er which your life has gone,
You'd see the millions rushing on.

Millions, like waves upon the lake,
Seeking the shore, at last to break
Where worldly pomps no difference make.

Home come the toilers one by one,
Finding the grave's oblivion,
But always Life keeps thundering on.

Your Health

TYPHOID FEVER

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

Typhoid fever is another disease that can be prevented by vaccination.

It is a serious infectious disease that lasts from four to eight weeks or longer. There are often serious complications such as ulcers, hemorrhages or perforation of the bowel.

It is fatal in about one out of ten cases.

Yet it can be prevented by good sanitation, personal cleanliness and by vaccination.

Typhoid germs cannot live outside the body except as they are kept moist in their protective covering of mucus which surrounds them as they leave the body. It is of the highest importance, therefore, that all mouth and nose discharges from a typhoid patient be burned and that other waste matter from the body be kept for half an hour in a solution of carbolic acid or chlorinated lime before being emptied. Especial care is needed when the sewer flows into the same body of water from which the water supply is taken.

People who have had a typhoid attack are almost certain to be "carriers" for years to come. They should never feel free from spreading the disease, and should take every precaution to safeguard others.

We usually consider that the greatest danger from typhoid lurks in drinking water. Fortunately most cities are protected by careful, regular inspection.

Greater responsibility rests upon the individual in the rural communities where there is no water department. The supply should be tested several times a year and if there is thought to be any danger it should be treated in the following manner: Make a solution by dissolving 15 grains of pure, fresh chlorinated lime in a quart of water. Put one teaspoonful of this solution into each quart of drinking water, letting it stand for 15 minutes before drinking.

When one is doubtful as to the purity of his drinking water or as to his immunity against the disease it is well to be on the safe side by being vaccinated.

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Instant Relief! Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing. The second and third doses usually break up the cold completely and end all grippe misery.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.

The Challenge of the Bootleggers

A sataurnalia of bootlegging seems to be no exaggerated phrase to describe the startling state of affairs to which the Administration calls the nation's attention. Inspired Washington dispatches tell us that the present Prohibition enforcement methods are "debauching and debasing the entire country"; that the President is "deeply concerned over a belief that the moral fiber of the American people is deteriorating through the open disrespect shown for the effort to enforce to enforce Prohibition"; and the "the growth of bootlegging, the temerity of rum-runners, and the serious insinuations against Federal enforcement officers have been worrying the Administration for some months," until finally—"With Prohibition enforcement recognized as on the verge of absolute collapse in four States and in a condition of serious demoralization elsewhere in the country, President Harding considered today the issuance of a solemn public appeal to all good citizens to discourage bootlegging as a last resort to administer the law."

"One way to make Prohibition prohibit," declares the New York *Evening Post*, "would be to arrest some of the prominent and respectable people who buy what the bootleggers sell."

The leading article in The Literary Digest this week takes up the subject of the enforcement of the Prohibition laws and presents the opinions of leading newspapers as to ways and means.

Other news-features of current interest and importance are:—

Democratic Plans to Win Next Time
How the French-American Romance May Be Renewed
To Curb Reckless Aviators
Whence Comes the Virtue of Cod-Liver Oil?
Hearing Two Thousand Miles With a Home-made Radio Set
An Anglican Move Toward Rome
A Neighborly View of Woodrow Wilson
Personal Glimpses
Loves and Hates of the Circus Elephant
Governor Allen's Court Threatened
The Test of the Irish Free State
How Not to Catch Cold
Mr. Hoxie's Talking Film
Stories That Reveal Bernhardt
Eastern Culture Draining the West of Ministers
Anarchism and Cruelty—The Soul of the Russian Peasant
Topics of the Day

Many Interesting Illustrations, Including the Best of the Humorous Cartoons

The Season's Screen Novelty.

Over one thousand leading theaters are now showing the humorous motion picture, "Fun From the Press." New bookings are being signed as fast as salesmen can cover their territory. And this real laughmaker is just three months old. But no wonder!

"Produced by The Literary Digest" has been an assurance to millions of photoplay fans of a superior product. For more than thirty years The Digest has been an accurate barometer of the public pulse.

So, "Fun From the Press" is the happiest, jolliest collection of rapid-fire mirth presented on any screen. There's a laugh in every flicker of the film. It's the cream of clean humor. If you've missed the first releases, surely see the next. Watch for it every week at your favorite motion-picture haunt. "Fun From the Press" is Produced by the Literary Digest; W. W. Hodkinson Corporation, Distributors.

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US. HARD ROAD FOR BREAD DELIVERY

Nafziger Co. to Supply Towns By Truck.

Leaving Decatur at 5 o'clock in the morning, distributing its cargo of bread, rolls and cakes over the 54 mile route of the hard road between Decatur and Champaign, and returning to Decatur by 4 p. m. will be the schedule of the new rural delivery system which the Nafziger bakery has instituted. The towns between the two cities will thus be supplied with fresh bakery goods daily, and the Champaign orders filled.

CAPACITY 1500 LOAVES.

The truck used in the new service is a specially equipped affair having a commercial body with a capacity of 1500 loaves of bread. The company was quick to see the possibilities of the new road in expediting its rural deliveries and immediately made use of the opportunity. J. H. Dow, sales manager of the Nafziger company, says that the new enterprise is a complete success and predicts that other firms along the line of the new highway will rapidly take advantage of the improved facilities for rapid truck transit delivery.

BLOCK FIRE AT CHAPMAN-DOAKE

Find Hay Smouldering in Feed Room At 2 A. M.

Timely discovery of a smouldering fire in stored hay in the feed room of the Chapman-Doake plant, Broadway and East Main, shortly before 2 o'clock Friday morning, is probably the only thing that prevented a big blaze in that establishment. Firemen responded and breaking into the place, succeeded in putting out the fire with a comparatively small loss.

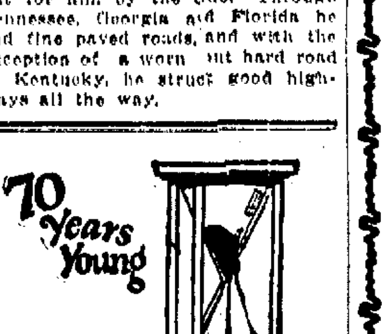
The fire was located in such a place that much of a delay could have turned it into a big battle for the firemen. While officials of the fire department did not discover the cause of the fire one of them expressed an opinion that a cigaret butt could easily have been the cause.

ARCHIE WEAVER NOW IN FLORIDA

Followed Route Mapped Out By Motor Club—Had Good Roads.

Archie Weaver is now in Florida enjoying the summer climate and not a bit envious of his Decatur friends.

A letter from him received by the Motor club tells of the success he had in following the route mapped out for him by the club. Through Tennessee, Georgia and Florida he had fine paved roads, and with the exception of a worn out hard road in Kentucky, he struck good highways all the way.



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—$10,000 GIFT TOWELS! Entirely new types of designs and color work; exquisitely embroidered hucks and Turkish towels; 35c to **$1.50**

—THREE-PIECE TOWEL SETS in fancy jacquard weaves; all colors; boxed and tied with ribbon. A set $1.95, $1.75 $1.50, $1.25 and **89c**

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Gift Kimonas

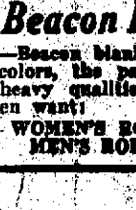
—SILK KIMONAS in replicas of original oriental designs, from $13.50 to .. **$8.95**

—CREPE KIMONAS in unusual patterns and charming color tones, $3.95 to .. **$1.95**

Beacon Bath Robes

—Beacon blanket robes in the colors, the patterns, the warm, heavy qualities men and women want!

WOMEN'S ROBES, $3.50—$8.50
MEN'S ROBES, $4.50—$8.95



Christmas Shoppers

VISIT OUR JEWELRY DEPARTMENT

—See this beautiful line of rings, bar pins, brooches, cuff links, scarf pins, watch chains, bracelets, ear rings, etc. Every article sold at wholesale prices and guaranteed; 50c to $5.

Christmas Buying Is On! Come Saturday!

—To Decatur's Popular Christmas Store where vast, well chosen stocks of Useful Gifts are priced so limited purses cover big Lists.

A SATURDAY SALE OF WOMEN'S

$2.75 Kid Gloves

Browns Beaver Covert **1.39**

—Women will buy these gloves for personal use and to give to other women. Smart, two-clasp styles, of very fine, smooth cape kid, in brown, beaver and covert shades. Sizes 6¼ to 8. $2.75 values, $1.39 a pair.

Many Gift Specials in

Pretty Art Goods

—FILET DRESSER SCARFS in 27x54 size, regular $1 values for **49c**

—STENCILLED SCARFS of lustrous black sateen, in exquisite designs, each **$1.95**

—VENETIAN SCARFS, centers and doylies, in many delightful patterns, from $13 down to **49c**

—LINEN SCARFS, exquisitely embroidered **$1.50**

—LINEN COLORED scarfs, embroidered in blue, green brown; special, each .. **$1.49**

—45-INCH SQUARES, unbleached, trimmed in Russian Filet, very special, each **$2.45**

Women's Oxford Sale

$2.95 Values For $5

Queen Quality Oxfords **$5**

—Five styles, each one a pronounced favorite. Brown calf and brown kid oxfords and patent leather 3-straps and cross straps. Military and flat heel styles for women and growing girls. All sizes. $5 values, $2.95 a pair.

Women's $6.85 high laced boots with military heels, at $2.95.

—The cleverest of mid-season Queen Quality styles — brown and black kid oxfords, patent lace blucher oxfords and exquisite patent one-straps, all at $5 a pair.

Decatur's Xmas Hosiery Store

Ready Saturday: Thousands of Pairs

CHRISTMAS HOSIERY

In The Annual December Sale

—Radmoor, Kayser, Armor Plate and all other foremost makes of silk hose. Unquestionably Decatur's very largest hosiery assortments at prices unquestionably lower.

$2.25 Full Fashioned Silk Hose, $1.29

—Perfect, weighty, full fashioned, pure silk hose, just 200 pairs for Saturday sale, pr. **$1.29**

Radmoor $2.50 Full Fashioned, $1.95

—High grade, good weight, pure silk in black and a great line of new shades. Sale price, pair **$1.95**

Kayser Glove-Silk Hose, $3.50 Pair

—Kayser and Martha-4-Foot heavy pure silk glove-silk, plains and fancy laces; special price, pair **$3.50**

Kayser Heavy All-Silk Hose at $2.95 a Pr.

—Something extra fine: Both Kayser and Armor Plate full fashioned, silk all the way; a pair **$2.95**

Women's Wool Hose, Silk Striped, $1.50

—These silk and wool hose are very new, very popular. Exceptionally good values, pair **$1.50**

Women's Wool Hose In Heather Shades, 79c

—They're the popular hose with women wearing oxfords; the heather shades are very rich. Pair **79c**

Children's English Ribbed Lisle Hose, 50c
Boys' and Girls' ¾ woolen hose, at 59c
Children's 25c Ribbed School Hose, 19c
Men's Wool Cashmere Hose, 50c-$1.50 pr.
Men's Famous Ironsox, extra values, 25c

Blanket Specials

—WOOL FINISHED PLAID blankets, in several rich colors; lofty, warm blankets, worth $5, special, a pair **$3.95**

—ALL-WOOL BLANKETS in 70x84 size, weight 4½ pounds, best $10 retailers, a pair **$7.50**

—BEACON ROBE BLANKETS in 72x90 size, with cords, girdles, and frogs, complete for **$5**

Boudoir Caps

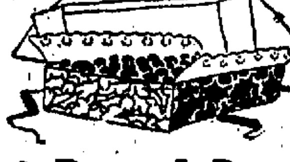
—Exquisite new ones, of lovely satins, crepe silks, laces, ribbons, very special, at each, **50c**

Embroidered Sheets and Cases

—These make delightful gifts for the woman who loves things for her home. Hemstitched and scalloped styles, embroidered designs.

—Sheet sets: one 81x99 sheet and two 45x38½ cases boxed, at $3.95, $5 and $6.50.

—Embroidered pillow cases in pairs, all charmingly boxed, $2.95, $2.50 and $1.50.



3-Pound Box Candy, $1

—A fresh new shipment of luscious chocolates for Saturday sale. Three pounds in a box, assorted. Regular 60c candies, 3 pounds, $1.

Spanish Combs

—These fancy Spanish combs are set with stones of various colors; blue, red, green, topaz. Priced at $8 down to **$1.25**

All Women Appreciate

Bead Necklaces

—Jet beads, $3.50 to $5.95.
—Pearl beads, 59c to $3.95.
—Colored beads, 59c to $3.95.
—Betty Beads, at 50c and 69c.

Make It With RIBBONS

You May Use The Ribbons for

—Hair bows, girdles, caps, camisoles, shoe ornaments, powder and puff cases, lamps shades dresser sets, motifs for dresses, to make flouncings for petticoats, pillows for the bedrooms, curtains for the bird cage.

—Our display offers many happy suggestions

—These are the ribbons displayed in front center window all-day Friday.

Saturday, A Christmas SALE OF RIBBONS

—They were bought from a leading New York silk house famous for the superlative excellence of its ribbons. They came just this week; in time for Decatur women to supply their Christmas ribbon needs at extraordinary savings. Three special lots:

39c to 50c RIBBONS	59c to 69c RIBBONS	79c to 89c RIBBONS
29c Yd	39c Yd	49c Yd
—5 and 6-inch all silk ribbons, in a wealth of fancy stripes and exquisite plaids, in values to 50c, at 29c.	—Several hundred yards of lovely plain and fancy ribbons, 6 inches wide, in all colors, values to 60c at 39c	—5 to 9-inch ribbons, including plain satins, rich two-tones and costly tapestries; also stripes and florals.

Lots of Special Hair Bow Ribbons Included

A Great Christmas Sale Saturday of 3000 Gift Hand Bags

$2, $2.50, $3, $4, $5, $6 Values At

$1, $1.95, $2.95, $3.95

—This, probably, is the very largest collection of leather purses and bags in all Decatur. A New York maker's holiday surplus. Overstrap and pouch bags, vanities of vischette leathers. Cowhide bags, genuine seal leather bags, many of fine goatskin. These will be conveniently arranged for gift choosing tomorrow, $1, $1.95, $2.95, $3.95.

The Christmas Handkerchief Sale, A Big Saturday Attraction

—LACE EDGED handkerchiefs of sheer opal batiste; some linen centers with venise and tatting edges; 75c and $1 values, each **50c**

—FINE LINWEAVE and batiste handkerchiefs; white with white or colored hand embroidered corners. 50c and 60c values, special **35c**

—ALL LINEN AND BATISTE handkerchiefs; white and colored centers, white and colored embroidery; 35c values **25c**

—25c-35c HANDKERCHIEFS; plain hemstitched with hand embroidery, all white with tatting edges, colored linens and colored batistes and linweaves, each **15c**

Men's Kerchiefs

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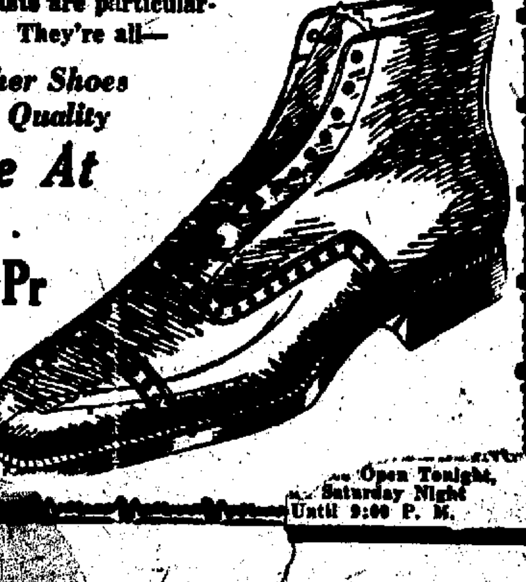

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Begin Here Today.

The mysterious man.

DERNBURG PASHA, citizen of the Turkish Empire, has been murdered in Paris and the Ottoman government demands reparation for his death.

M. JONQUELLE, greatest of French detectives, found that Dernburg met his death in the library of his home, his throat was slashed and the white squares in the checkerboard floor were spotted with blood—apparently the trail of the escaping assassin.

The Turk Envoy called on Mr. Jonquelle. "What was Dernburg doing in Paris?" M. Jonquelle demanded.

Go on With the Story.

CHAPTER II.

HE Envoy's eyes narrowed. He looked at Jonquelle a moment as in a furtive inquiry.

"I do not," he said. "What was his mission in Paris, monsieur?"

"You will be surprised to learn it," continued the Prefect of Police. "Dernburg was undertaking to falsify a work of art. It was a very remarkable work of art, and one of value. The persons who originally produced this work of art expended a great sum of money, an almost incredible sum of money to perfect it. If one could falsify it successfully, one could make a fortune at the venture. Dernburg knew this. He had thought about it for a long time. He had conducted a great number of experiments. Finally he was satisfied that the thing could be successfully done, and he came here from Stamboul, took this abandoned house in the Faubourg St. Germain, brought with him his devices, and prepared to undertake the great thing which he had in mind. Then, monsieur, before the thing could be accomplished, the mysterious visitor appeared; and this morning Dernburg is dead."

It was evident that the Oriental was profoundly puzzled.

"I do not understand you, monsieur," he said. "You say that Dernburg Pasha had perfected a method by which he intended to falsify a work of art?"

"Yes, monsieur."

"Then he was called upon by one who knew of this method and wished to rob him of it?"

"No, monsieur."

"Then by those to whom the original of the art belonged, and wished to prevent this falsification?"

"No, monsieur," replied the Prefect of Police. "Dernburg Pasha's death resulted from a sense of despair."

Jonquelle took his hand from his pocket, revealed the thing upon which his fingers had closed when he sat down to this conference. He opened his hand so that the thing was visible. It looked like a little square box of some white substance, as of marble or chalk or alabaster. It was not larger than two inches square. It was, perhaps, an inch thick, made in two pieces. There was a tiny hole, like a keyhole with a beveled edge, on the line where these pieces joined. The box had a heavy rubber band about it. It lay for a moment exposed in the palm of Monsieur Jonquelle's hand.

"I have here," he said, "the thing that was the cause of this man's death. It was also the cause of his misfortunes leading up to this fatal morning. It has been an obsession with him. In the German Empire he undertook this thing. His design was discovered, and he fled to Turkey. But he took his obsession with him, and when the war was ended, he saw a method of getting an indemnity out of France with it—a method by which he could enrich himself at the cost of France. He worked out his plan carefully; he came to Paris; he got this house. He was ready to put his plan into effect when, unfortunately, for him, the mysterious visitor of last night appeared.

"Dernburg was shrewd, unscrupulous and farsighted. But he was not shrewd enough, and he was not farsighted enough. The stranger, who came to see him last night, knew all about him, knew every detail of his activities, knew the big plan that he had in mind. He had watched him, had followed his career. He knew the very day that he came to Paris. He knew his object in taking this empty house in the Faubourg St. Germain. He knew every step of the secret arrangements which Dernburg had perfected for the carrying out of his scheme; and at the opportune hour he entered this house. These are the facts, monsieur, which I have accurately ascertained, which are true beyond doubt."

"And so," said the Oriental, "this mysterious stranger finally ran Dernburg Pasha to earth here and killed him."

The Prefect of Police arrested the man's discourse with a gesture.

"You travel, monsieur," he said, "a point beyond my conclusions. Do we know that this midnight visitor is the assassin? We must consider the evidences as they are presented to us."

"The evidences are conclusive of this fact," replied the Envoy. "If circumstantial evidences can ever be conclusive of a murder. Here is the opportunity, the quarrel, the dead man remaining in the library, blood-drops falling from the weapon on this drawing-room floor as he hastily crossed it, and the escape over the wall of the garden."

"But, monsieur," said the Prefect of Police, "where is the motive? The writers on the value of indicatory evidences, in the investigation of a criminal case tell us that there should be time, opportunity and motive. The time, monsieur, and the opportunity are here, plainly indicated; but the motive? Where shall we look for that?"

The Oriental turned, as with an inspiration, in his chair.

"[illegible]," he said, "you [illegible] length upon [illegible] to know it quite well. You conceal, as you have indicated, the somewhat mysterious evidence [illegible] it in your hand."

"Quite true, monsieur," replied the Prefect of Police! "but you will observe that it is I who am familiar with this motive. It is I who have what you are pleased to call this concrete evidence in my hand. And that brings me to an interesting hypothesis with three phases to be considered. Let us consider them, monsieur! I name them in the order in which they occur to me; first, monsieur, that I killed the man; second, that you killed him; and third, that the agency that killed Dernburg Pasha is no longer living in this world."

The Oriental turned suddenly, his face contracted and tense, but his voice firm.

"Very well, monsieur," he said; "whither do these suggestions lead you?"

Jonquelle continued in an even voice.

"To arrive at that," he said, "we must first consider the evidences which have led you to believe that Dernburg was killed by the man with whom he quarreled last night in the library. Now, if you please, monsieur, we will look a little at the indicatory signs."

He paused.

"There is always this disturbing feature about circumstantial evidence, the trick of pointing in the direction that one is going. If one has a conclusion, one will find that the circumstantial evidence supports it. You have a theory, monsieur, that this visitor was Dernburg's assassin, and consequently, to you, the

"YOU CANNOT MEAN THAT DERNBURG PASHA WAS MURDERED BY A DEAD MAN!"

indicatory evidence supports that theory. But, monsieur, I have the theory that the visitor was not the assassin, and I bid you observe now the indicatory evidences will turn themselves about in order to support the theory which I maintain. Take, for example, these blood-drops on the marble floor of the drawing room. In support of your theory, they have fallen by hazard from the assassin's knife in his flight, and you would cite them as confirmatory of your theory.

"Now, monsieur, I would cite them also as confirmatory of mine.

"You will observe that each of these seven blood-drops has fallen on a white square of this checkered marble floor. There is no drop of blood on a black square. Why, monsieur, should these drops appear only on the white squares? I consider that fact what my theory in mind, and I conclude that they so appear because the one who placed them there wished them to be seen. We cannot conceive that he would undertake to create evidence against himself. And it is beyond our conception of coincidence that each of these seven blood-drops should, by accident, have fallen precisely on a white square when there was an equal number of black squares intervening. Therefore, monsieur, these evidences did not come by chance; they came by design."

He continued like one who recites the details of a formula:

"I find my theory also confirmed at a farther point. You explained to me, when I inquired that the assassin, after fleeing through this drawing room into the walled garden, had escaped by climbing over the wall, since the gate was nailed up and had been so nailed up for a long time. Now, monsieur, I caused this wall to be examined. The whole of the top of it is coated over with dust. At no point has any of this dust been removed; consequently the assassin did not escape by climbing over the wall, for if he had undertaken to climb the wall at any point, his body in that labor, would have removed the coating of dust. You see, monsieur, I do not find your indicatory evidences designed to support your theory. They seem rather conclusively to establish my own."

He made a vague gesture as though to dismiss the matter.

"And so, monsieur, we find ourselves before the triangular hypothesis! Did I murder Dernburg Pasha, or did you, or was he, in fact, murdered at all?"

The Oriental looked at the man in a sort of wonder.

"He was surely murdered," he said.

The Prefect of Police spoke like one in some reflection.

"It is by no means certain."

"Not certain?" echoed the Envoy. "The man is dead!"

"One may be dead without having been murdered," replied the Prefect of Police. "It is possible that the hand that gave Dernburg Pasha his fatal wound is no longer alive in this world."

The Turkish Envoy made an exclamation of surprise.

"You cannot mean that Dernburg Pasha was murdered by a dead man!"

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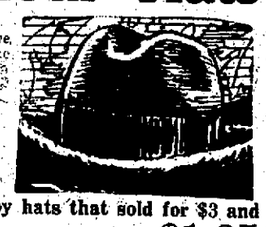

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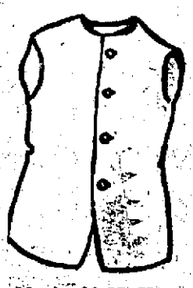

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STOCKS FAIL TO WEAKEN

Bond Movement Irregular, with Rails Showing Many Losses.

BY STUART P. WEST.

Wall Street, New York, Dec 8—Prices went higher again on the stock exchange today, thereby disconcerting professional calculations, that, having had so extensive and continuous a recovery for nearly a week, the market was entitled to some reaction.

BONDS IRREGULAR.

In bonds the movement was more irregular, with strength in liberties and foreign government issues, but with numerous losses among the rails. After four consecutive days of advance, the remarkable upswing in sterling exchange was finally halted, but francs were stronger, and Italian lire once more crossed the 5c level.

DOWN A POINT

The day in stocks began with some weakness in the rails, some of which went down over a point. While these declines were the result rather obviously of professional raiding rather than real selling, they did bring out the fact again that there is no authorized or effective support in the railway section the way there is in many of the industrial stocks.

Moreover, so much stress has been laid upon the under maintenance of the roads, the heavy outlay which they must make for equipment, that the investing public pictures to itself many more months like October, where net earnings will feel the effect of swollen operating costs.

INDUSTRIALS FIRM.

During the early selling in the railway list, it was very noticeable that most industrials stood their ground firmly. If speculators for the decline had the idea that by bringing pressure to bear against the railway stocks a general downward movement could be started, they were badly disappointed.

After the first hour buying was resumed in Studebaker, Baldwin Locomotive, Steel common and other leaders, and the market promptly responded all around As a rule the industrials that moved at all got above their best prices of Thursday Talk of more stock dividends and more increases of cash dividends accompanied many of the individual advances, such as those in Industrial Alcohol and National Lead.

MOTORS STRONG.

The motor stocks were especially strong but for no reason other than the advertisement given to the prosperity in the motor industry by the last extra stock dividend by Studebaker Corporation.

SUGARS FAVORABLE.

Sugar stocks were taken up again, but likewise there was nothing new in their situation It is well understood that the statistical position in the sugar trade is favorable and that, with the indications that at least present prices will be maintained, these companies are looking forward to a profitable season in 1923.

DRY GOODS.

New York, Dec. 8—The publication of the government cotton ginning report today had little effect on the cotton cloths market which continued quiet and dull Print cloths were dealt in in small lots with no extreme variation in prices Sheetings continued soft but mills are not pressing sales at present prices. Some trading was reported in tire fabrics.

The raw silk market here was very quiet and followed a similar tone in Yokohama Prices were off slightly from Thursday's levels with XXA at $9 17; best number 1 X at $9 27½; Kansai No. 1 at $8.22½ Canton 11-16s at $7 70 and Canton 20-22s unchanged at $7 20

Control of Supply In English Hands

Predict Rapid Decrease In Visible Stocks—New Taxation Basis For Increase In Prices.

BY J. C. ROYLE
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(The following exclusive story reveals world conditions in the rubber industry which directly affect the pocketbooks of every American who makes or uses tires, rubber heels, overshoes, or other mechanical rubber goods.)

New York, Dec. 8.—The British rubber producers have set 18 pence or about 34 cents per pound as the mark at which they hope to peg the price of crude rubber under the new regulations imposing heavy taxes on shipments from the far east.

Many dealers and producers here declared today that they considered it entirely possible that the prices would be shoved up to that figure although how long they could be maintained there was a question.

HIGHER PRICES HERE.

As the British market controls the main sources of supply, those from the Malay Peninsula and the East Indies, this points unmistakably to higher prices for tires and mechanical rubber goods in this country. The present price of crude rubber here is about 27 cents.

Stocks of rubber in London probably will total between 90,000 and 100,000 tons before the end of this year, according to cables from that market today, but after January 1 these stocks are expected to decrease rapidly.

HEAVY SHIPMENTS.

The rubber available in London November 15 amounted to 68,000 tons but the tremendous volume of the commodity which was shipped out of the Malay Peninsula before November 1, when the taxation on excess shipments went into effect, now is arriving at British ports.

Now that the taxes are effective, however, shipments undoubtedly will fall off. There has been no startling increase in consumption but the new regulations are counted on to hold shipments and sales of crude rubber well under the requirements of tire and other manufacturers. If they do not and if high prices are not maintained, it is perfectly within the power of the British colonial authorities to further increase taxation until production falls below demand.

PROTEST ASKED.

When the new regulations were announced and the price of rubber started to rise from 16 cents, tire and rubber men in America, it became known today, went to Washington with a request that protest to made to the British government.

It is understood that these manufacturers were told that the United States was not in a position to protest over the price of crude rubber any more than the British government was entitled to protest over the prices American manufacturers might set on tires.

SEEK AGREEMENT

After numerous meetings, the rubber association here, which is an organization to protect the interests of dealers and consumers, appointed a committee to "establish contact" with the rubber association in London, which looks after the growers, and to attempt to come to some agreement for stabilizing prices for rubber "which would be mutually advantageous"

FEAR DECREASES.

Detroit, Dec 8—Executives in the automobile industry are now registering less concern and more confidence in the outlook for 1923

Specifications for steel copper copper wire, wheels, bodies and tires are going out in large volume to firms which handle those specialties. For the first time since 1920 there is a disposition to lay in heavy inventories A large part of this material will be used up between now and March. The number of cars being made for storage and the heavy volume of orders for the spring trade shows what motor manufacturers and dealers think of the prospect for 1923.

BOOM CONTINUES.

Chicago, Dec 8 — The building boom here shows no signs of abatement Permits issued last month totaled $20,000,000, a gain of $5,000,000 over the previous month. Building material dealers report that an unusual amount of construction work is being figured on at present and sash and door factories and planing mills here today are running at capacity.

CHRISTMAS TRADE.

St Louis, Dec. 8— The Christmas trade is on in earnest in this section. Stores in the cities and towns are crowded all day long

There is a noticeable inclination on the part of large capital here to invest in real estate In many of the smaller towns wage earners are buying homes.

Atlanta, Dec. 8—Merchants of the southeast are enjoying the best holiday trade of the last three years with every indication that the volume of business will increase proportionately right up to Christmas day

WHEAT PRICE IN INCREASE

Rally Takes Up Early Losses—Close Is Firm.

Chicago, Dec. 8—Although unexpected declines in Liverpool led to a downturn here in the wheat market today at the outset, a rally soon took place The opening, which ranged from ⅛ to ⅝c lower, with May $1 16⅜ to ½ and July $1 07¾ to ⅞ was followed by hesitancy and then by gains all around.

EASES DOWN.

The market eased down after receipt of the president's message. Closing prices were firm at the same as yesterday's finish to 1c higher, with May $1 17¼ to ⅞ and July $1 08⅜ to ¼.

PARALLEL WHEAT

Corn and oats paralleled the action of wheat. After opening ⅛ to ⅜c lower, May 69⅝ to ⅞c the corn market scored slight gains.

Oats started a shade to ⅛c off, May 43, sagged a little more and then began to climb.

Provisions reflected firmness in hog values.

The corn market closed unsettled, at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅛@¼c lower, with May 69⅞c to 70c.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros. & Co.)

Chicago, Dec 8.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	High	Low	Close	Yes
WHEAT—Opening				
Dec. ..	118½@.....	119⅜	118¼	119⅜ 118⅝
May ..	116½@116⅝	117⅝	116⅛	117⅛ 116⅝
July ..	107⅞@107⅞	108½	107⅜	108¼ 108⅛
CORN—				
Dec ...	70½@....	70⅝	70¼	70⅝ 70⅞
May ..	69⅞@ ¾	70¼	69½	70 70
July. ..	69⅝@.....	69⅞	69¼	69⅝ 69⅝
OATS—				
Dec. ...	43 @	44⅛	43	44⅛ 43⅛
May ...	43 @.. ..	43¼	42⅝	43⅛ 43
July .	40¼@.....	40¼	40	40⅛ 40⅛
RYE—				
Dec.	84⅝@.....	84⅞	84⅝	84⅞ 84⅝
May .	87¼@.....	88	87¼	88 87⅞
LARD—				
Dec. ..	1005@.....	1005	1000	1000 1002
Jan .	1030@.....	1030	1020	1020 1025
RIBS—				
Dec. ..	.@..			972 970
Jan	.@..			952 952

NO CHANGE IN GRAIN PRICES

Hogs Advance to $7.50; Eggs Down to 46; Poultry Steady.

Grain prices remain unchanged but firm in the local grain market Friday. Changes were very slight in the terminal markets during the day and station buyers here allowed prices for cash grain to stand at Thursday's figures.

Hogs were firmer and somewhat higher for the choice stuff and prices on tops were advanced by local packers to $7.50 per hundred pounds.

EGGS DOWN

Eggs are down again although a blizzard or heavy snow would probably shoot them up again. Shippers dropped their offers Friday to forty-six cents a dozen

Poultry is steady and unchanged with a good demand for large chickens but only a moderate one for turkeys Geese and ducks are in demand for the Christmas business but there is no indication of advances in prices

Grain

Wheat	$1 05
No 4 yellow corn	59
No 4 white corn	59
Oats	.37

Live Stock

Choice young hogs 225 to 250	$7 25@ 7 50
Choice young hogs, 175 to 200	6 75@ 7 25
Light weights, 150 to 175	6 25@ 6 75
Heavy sows	5 50@ 6 00
Choice steers 700-800 lbs	6 50@ 7.00
Medium steers, 700@900 lbs	5 00@ 6 00
Choice heifers 700 to 895 lbs	6 00@ 6.50
Good heifers 700-800 lbs	5 00@ 5 50
Choice cows, 800-1000 lbs	3 00@ 3 50
Medium cows, 900-1000 lbs.	2.50@ 2 75
Cutters	2 00@ 2 50
Bulls	3 00@ 4 00
Spring lambs	9 00@ 10.00
Veal calves	6 00@ 8 00
Canners	1 00@ 2 00

Butter and Eggs

Eggs, loss off	$. 46
Shipping Butter	.22
Butterfat	.52

Poultry

Hens, 4½ lbs up	$ 17
Hens small	.13
Springs 4½ lbs up	.17
Springs small	.13
Roosters	07
Young turkeys	28
Old turkeys	.23
Geese	17
Ducks	19
Live pigeons doz	.75

Hides

Green	$ .11
Cured beef, No 1	.12
Horse hides	4 25
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs	.12

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago Dec 8—	Contracted	Estimated	Year Ago
Wheat	24	15	13
Corn	248	207	265
Oats	120	110	90
Rye	7	..	..

ST. LOUIS HAY.

St Louis, Dec 8—Sales TIMOTHY—Part car no grade at $14 one car No. 3 at $15, two cars No 2 at $16, one car and part car do at $17, one car do at $17.50, two cars standard at $18 two cars do. at $18.50, one car do at $19 two cars No 1 at $20, two cars do at $21

CLOVER—One car No 1 at $21

ALFALFA—One car No 3 at $16

PRAIRIE—Four cars No 2 at $16, one car do at $17, one car No 1 at $18, two cars do. at $19.

PUBLIC SALE DATES

Dec 7—T. J. Austin, Orsana, Ill.
Dec. 7—L. M Bennett, Blue Mound, Ill.
Dec. 12—Perry Bullock, Orsana.
Dec. 13—E V Hirsch, R 2, Decatur
Dec. 14—J A. Phillips & Co., Elmery.
Dec. 19—Administrator's sale, Maroa, Ill., Charles Scott, administrator.
Dec. 20—Mary B Linn, Mt Auburn.
Dec. 20—H. B Ragian, Cerro Gordo
Dec. 30—Henry Marquis, Decatur, Ill.

FEW STEERS ABOVE $11

Live Stock Steady to Strong However—Supplies Light.

Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Dec. 8—Compared with last Friday light runs were reported at the local yards today. This was caused by the fact that the market was closed last Thursday, however, and stock arriving that day was counted for Friday's supply. Few strictly prime steers have been on the market during the present week, with little selling above $11.00 outside of show stuff. Nearly 15,000 hogs were held over from yesterday, but the trade was in fair shape.

Receipts were 4,000 cattle, 26,000 hogs, 5,500 sheep and 1,000 calves.

FAIRLY ACTIVE.

CATTLE: With a light supply of steers the trade was fairly active from the start. Some of the deals showed strength, and taken as a whole it was a good Friday market. Best steers show fully steady prices compared with a week ago, while good and medium grades gained in values during the period. Best cows and choice heifers were up more than 50c from a week ago, but canners and bulls closed weak. Calves advanced mostly 50c for the period. Good cattle were as much as 10@15c higher late in the day.

HOGS STRONG.

HOGS It was a steady to strong market for hogs from the start. Choice 225 pound hogs sold at $8.30 while $8.30@8.35 was paid for 190@240 pound stock later in the day. Best hogs remained at $8 35, but many deals were made at $8.00@8.25, while bulk of packing hogs went at $7.50@7.80, with good lots at $7 85@7 95. Big packers were not active buyers Pigs were fully steady.

LAMBS HIGHER

SHEEP. Choice fed lambs sold mostly strong to 15c higher. Other grades were in fair demand at fully steady values. Prime lots went over at $15.50, with good stock at $15.00@15.35. Feeders were generally steady, while aged muttons also held without change.

REGULAR SECTION WON'T HOLD COATS

Local Firm Forced to Use Entire First Floor for Big Sale.

Tomorrow, at the Hirsch Co., occurs a coat sale involving so many garments that the entire first floor has to be pressed into service in order to conveniently display them. There are hundreds of new winter coats in this sale, all displayed on revolving racks for convenient selection.

These coats are the season's very best and most desirable models, all made of choicest materials, with or without fur collars, many beautifully self trimmed. They are offered at a third less than the regular selling price, which means you may buy now, at the height of the season, at after-Christmas prices. At the prices quoted these high class coats should win first inspection, and should encourage many to buy who had until now no intention of purchasing new coats. The Hirsch Co. presents these coats with the unqualified enthusiasm which comes of knowing a matchless opportunity is being offered—Adv.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Dec 8—HOGS—Rcts 1,500, steady and active; top, $8 25, lights, $7.80@8 20, mediums, $8 00@8.25, heavies, $8 00@8.25; packers, $7.00@7 70.

CATTLE—Receipts, 150; steady; top veal calves, $9 50

Local Notices

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E. Wright Allen & Son, 150 West Cerro Gordo, Main 578. We deliver.

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WALL STREET CLOSE STRONG

New York, Dec. 8 — Scattered shorts selling and liquidation continued during most of the morning. However, strong resistance offered by some of the leaders at the lower levels apparently caused some uneasiness on the part of shorts who started to cover, causing prices to turn upward again. Call money opened at 5 percent.

The closing was strong.

LAST SALES.

American Can	93
American Car & Foundry	1 85
American Locomotive	1 23⅜
American Smelting & Ref'g	53½
American Sugar	76½
American T & T	124½
American Woolen	95⅝
Anaconda Copper	48½
Atchison	101¼
Atl, Gulf & W. Indies	24⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	154¼
Baltimore & Ohio	43
Bethlehem Steel "B"	62⅞
Central Leather	33⅝
Chandler Motors	62⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	65½
Chicago, Mil. and St Paul	22⅞
Chicago R. I & Pac	32⅝
Chicago, & N W.	80⅛
Corn Products	131½
Crucible Steel	65¼
Famous Players-Lasky	90⅞
General Asphalt	46¼
General Motors	137⅞
Illinois Central	107¼
Int Mer Marine pfd	51
Kelly-Springfield Tire	44⅞
Mexican Petroleum	287
Midvale Steel	27⅞
New York Central	95⅞
Northern Pacific	73⅝
Pan-American Petroleum	39
Pennsylvania	40⅝
People's Gas	81
Pure Oil	28¼
Reading	77⅝
Republic Iron and Steel	46⅞
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	33½
Sinclair Oil	32½
Southern Pacific	86½
Standard Oil of New Jersey	109
Studebaker Corporation	183⅛
Texas Co.	45⅞
Tobacco Products	80⅞
Union Pacific	133
United States Rubber	51⅞
United States Steel	103⅝
Utah Copper	62½
Willys Overland	6
International Harvester	58¼

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, Dec 8—Liberty bonds closed 3½'s—$100 34.
First 4's—$98.80 b.
Second 4's—$98 20
First 4¼'s—$98 00.
Second 4¼'s—$98 40.
Third 4¼'s—$98.80
Fourth 4¼'s—$98 68
4¾'s uncalled $100 30.
4¾'s called $100.
New 4¼'s —$99 70

WOOL.

Boston, Dec. 8—There is a slight tendency noted in the local wool market toward an easing in high grade wools but this has been counterbalanced by a stiffening of prices in the medium and lower grades. Half-blood and three-eighths blood combing were up about a cent a pound in the greasy today at 55 to 56 and 53 to 54 respectively. Ohio fine delaine, while very scarce was off to 56@57 cents.

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SMITH—The funeral of Miss Florence Smith was held Thursday morning at the residence by Rev. J. R. Golden Burial was in Salem cemetery.

WHITEHURST—The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Whitehurst will be held at eleven o'clock Saturday morning at the residence, 738 West Lenfland. Body will be taken to Springfield on 12:30 interurban for burial

were comparatively firm around last night's close.

MEXICANS FEATURE.

In the foreign group Mexican issues were the feature. Both the 5s and the 4's advanced under heavy trading French 8's also improved.

All the Liberty issues were strong, although trading was not on a very large scale.

It is worthy of note that yesterday's bond market was the broadest in the history of the exchange, a total of 506 issues being dealt in.

TODAY'S BLUNDER CORRECTED

BY JAKE HILL,
Postmaster, City of Decatur.

All mail with the stamp in the proper place, in the upper righthand corner, is postmarked by machinery. If the stamp is too low, or is on another part of the envelope, it is necessary to withdraw it from the regular mails for hand stamping, which results in delay. If the address is too near the stamp, a part of it is obscured by the postmark.

The abbreviation of State names should be avoided. Pa., Ia., and La. frequently look very much alike when written. It is hard to distinguish between Me., Mo., Md. and Ind. It is almost impossible to tell the difference between Cal. and Col. as abbreviations for California and Colorado. Calf. and Colo. are safer.

MEN! SAVE $2 ON THESE SHOES, $5

Another big factory shipment of H S. Gebhart Co.'s famous $5 shoes for men and young men just came in time for Saturday. Lots of the popular calfskin numbers, the No. 100 and No. 120 style included. They're finer than ever. Shoes that can't be duplicated under $7 a pair; lots of stores get $7.50 for same quality. Gebhart's price is only $5. Why pay more?—Adv.

WEAK RAILS HIT BY TAX SELLING

BY GEORGE T. HUGHES

New York, Dec. 8—Further tax selling made its appearance in the bond market today Securities of the so-called weaker roads were chiefly affected with the St Paul, the principal sufferer All the securities of this road were offered in large volume with consequent sharp declines in price.

OTHER DECLINES.

The weakness in St Paul issues was accompanied by declines in the Seaboard Air Line and the Erie bonds Missouri Pacific general 4s also lost ground and some divisional issues, generally inactive were sacrificed

St Louis-San Francisco incomes dropped over a point and a half while the adjustments which were weak yesterday

GINNED COTTON.

Washington, Dec. 8—Cotton ginned prior to Dec. 1, amounted to 9,318,144 running bales, including 167,729 round bales counted as half bales; 22,610 bales of American Egyptian and 4,945 bales of sea island, the census bureau announced today.

How are the Roads?

Tuscola—Dirt roads that have been well oiled are very good, but other dirt roads are muddy and in very bad condition.

Shelbyville—Roads are muddy.

Mt. Pulaski—Roads are muddy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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CONYER—I wish to thank the friends, neighbors, relatives, the pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and the singers, the Boilermakers and Helpers of Local 447, the donors of the beautiful flowers and all of the attendants of St. Mary's hospital, for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of my wife, Emma A. Conyer. Her Husband, Murry Conyer.

WE WISH to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude for the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our daughter and wife, Mrs. Emma Conyer; also for the many beautiful floral offerings Christian Steeg and Wife Murray Conyer.

Personals 9

COUPLE—Motoring to Palm Beach Florida in a new 7-passenger Studebaker want two passengers, to leave about December twenty-sixth. Call Main 199

DECATUR DISPOSAL & REMOVAL CO. has purchased the holdings of the Decatur Rendering Co's garbage business from Z. F. Beck. They ask for your patronage and will guarantee service in furnishing fuel and removing trash and garbage 421 Wabash Ave M 1070

NO HUNTING on farms near Boardsale, Warrensburg and Forsyth or north and west of Decatur Anyone found hunting here will be prosecuted By order of the Boardsale Anti-Horse Thief Association.

PARTY, living near Center street, wanted to care for small child during absence of parent. Call Main 268

Lost and Found 10

ALASKAN—Malamute dog, male, lost. Finder please return to J. L. Bennett, 700 S. Sigel St Reward

BLACK BILLFOLD lost, Monday, Dec. 4 Contained one $10 bill in back, three or four $1 bills and some change. Fairview 1986

FEMALE HOUND—Lost, white and yellow. Finder please notify H. Davis, Seymour, Ill, and receive reward

FIRESTONE TIRE, TUBE AND RIM—32 x4, lost Saturday, Dec. 2nd., Studebaker car on "M" trail between Pana and Decatur, or in Decatur. Reward. Notify, P. O Drawer No. 343, Pana, Ill.

HANDBAG—Lost between Roosevelt junior high school and St. Mary's hospital. Contained small purse, street car tickets Rosary beads and recipes. Call Main 1862.

KEY CASE—Lost Door key and auto key Main 6470.

KEYS—In red leather case, lost. Finder call Main 1129 Reward

PURSE—Found on North Water street, Owner call Main 2738, identify, and pay for ad

SILK MUFFLER—Lost near 600 West Grand Reward Cecil Hiser Main 2567

TWO DIAMOND RINGS LOST—1, ¾ carat with silver mounting other is gold solitaire Tiffany mounting 8 to 10 diamonds laid in platinum Lost between 331 S New and town, Monday. Reward if returned Fairview 1791

AUTOMOBILES

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BARGAINS IN USED CARS—

1921 Nash Sport model, in fine condition five cord tires
1921 Ford taxi, overhauled and in good shape
1920 Dodge Touring, five good tires, motor in fine shape
1920 Dodge Roadster, mechanically good, several extras
1919 Dodge Touring, five good tires, looks and runs good
1920 Studebaker Special Six, in fine condition
1920 Columbia Six Touring refinished and in nice shape
1920 Oakland Six Coupe, five good tires—a really good car
Ford Touring, good tires, runs fine, $65
Overland Model 90 Commercial Truck; cheap.
Several other good cars not listed that are priced worth the money
TERMS IF DESIRED
CHURCH STREET AUTO EXCHANGE
121 North Church Street Main 725

BUICK—Touring car, Light 6 Good mechanical condition New tires Cheap if taken at once 464 E Division

DECATUR USED CAR MARKET—
All cars sold by us carry a positive guarantee Always a full line of good ones to select from. Cash or terms to suit
DECATUR USED CAR MARKET
244 E Wood. Fairview 637.

DODGE—1920 Sedan Good condition, 1917 Maxwell Touring car
REWERTS & EHLER
318 E Main St Main 172.

FIFTEEN GOOD USED FORDS—
Including all models; $35 and up Also several other cars Used Fordson tractor. Will consider trade or sell on time
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FORTY-EIGHT USED CARS—Fords, roadsters tourings, sedans; Buick roadster, Buick tourings Velie, Oakland, Elgin, Cadillac Chandler, Maxwell, Studebaker; $30 to $1,250
CASH, TRADE OR EASY TERMS.
E G HEDGES
321 East Main Street

FRANKLIN—Seven-passenger, six cylinder $225 351 North Main

HAYNES COUPE—Driven less than 1,000 miles A bargain Geo W. Ehrhart.

HUPMOBILE SEDAN—A-1 condition, like new, Haynes Speedster, fine and fast car, Cole 8, like new. For exchange for real estate Call Fairview 60

OVERLAND SEDAN, 1922—In good mechanical condition, five wire wheels. Job fully equipped A bargain.
HANSON GARAGE
235 E Wood St Main 1280.

USED CARS OF ALL MAKES—At bargain prices We also buy cars
ADAMS' CAR MKT 503 N MAIN

USED CARS—We have several good used cars ready to sell. Call and see. W. L. Shellabarger's Sons. 233 S. Main.

USED CARS—
1921 Reo 4-passenger Coupe
1921 Reo Roadster (winter top).
1921 Ford Touring (wire wheels).
1920 Oldsmobile Roadster.
1919 Buick Touring.
1918 Franklin Roadster.
1917 Cadillac Touring
1917 Reo 4-cylinder Roadster.
1917 Auburn Touring
1917 Reo 4-cylinder 5-passenger Touring
1921 Reo Speedwagon (stake body).
1920 Samson Tractor
1922 Fordson Tractors (new).
REO MOTOR SALES CO.
M 768 246 E North St.

USED CARS—
1921 Ford Sedan.
1920 Ford One-Ton Truck.
1921 Ford Roadster.
1920 Ford Sedan.
1918 Ford Roadster.
1920 Chevrolet F. B. Roadster
1919 Overland Sedan
1918 Paige Touring Car.
1920 Reo Speedwagon.
1919 Maxwell Touring.
1918 Chevrolet Touring.
1918 Maxwell Touring.
TERMS OR TRADE
We are equipped to render expert Chevrolet Service.
CHEVROLET SERVICE STATION
W. W. Burns, Manager
519 East William Street Main 118

WILL TRADE a five-passenger touring car for carpenter work as I want to build a garage Phone Main 681 for details

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AUTO PARTS—Used Overland parts our specialty. Also other makes Parts Et. Garage, 146 E Packard. Main 2333

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Schedule of Electric Trains

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Trains Leave Decatur

EAST BOUND—Champaign-Danville

z 5:00 a.m.	x 2:40 p.m.
z 6:25 a.m.	z 4:55 p.m.
z 8:40 a.m.	x 7:15 p.m.
x10:30 a.m.	z 9:00 p.m.
z12:55 p.m.	cz11:00 p.m.

WEST BOUND—Springfield

z 6:00 a.m.	z 3:05 p.m.
z 7:00 a.m.	z 4:30 p.m.
x 8:15 a.m.	z 7:10 p.m.
z10:55 a.m.	x 8:30 p.m.
x12:30 p.m.	z11:05 p.m.
x 2:30 p.m.	

NORTH BOUND—Bloomington-Peoria

z 5:00 a.m.	z 2:45 p.m.
z 7:00 a.m.	z 5:05 p.m.
x 9:15 a.m.	z 7:10 p.m.
x11:05 a.m.	z 9:05 p.m.
z 1:15 p.m.	bz11:00 p.m.

z local; x-limited; c-Champaign only; f-limited flyer to Springfield; b-Bloomington only.

246-250 N. Main St.

HANDY - DANDY

LOWEST PRICES IN DECATUR

Dipping Sweet Chocolate, extra fine, pound 30c
Fancy Layer Figs, pound 30c
Welch's Grapelade, special, one day— per jar 12½c
Sweet Pickles, special large jar, each 35c
Chocolate Cream Candy, bargain, pound 20c
Candied Pineapple Slices; they are fine— pound 80c
FIG JAM, SPECIAL JAR ... 31c
Country Sausage, Backbones, Spareribs and Head Meats.

Milk Fresh Every Day. Oysters Fresh Every Day.

For Saturday Only
2 Wool Soap; 2 Pumice Soap, 2 Peerless Hard Water Castile Soap— all for 30c

Fruits and Vegetables Complete for Saturday.

Your CHRISTMAS Shopping List Cannot Be Complete Before You See What FRANKEL'S PHARMACY Has to Offer

TIRES

Size	Cords	Fabric Tires	Red Tubes
30x3½	$11.80	7.50	1.35
30x3		$ 6.50	$1.20
32x3½		9.75	1.50
31x4		10.90	1.60
32x4	17.50	12.75	1.75
33x4	18.25	13.00	1.90
34x4	19.00	13.75	2.00

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ELDER & CONNARD
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OF USED CARS

A PRE-INVENTORY SALE DUR-

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ALL CARS SUBJECT TO PRIOR

SALE—FIRST COME FIRST

SERVED

WE ARE SELLING THESE CARS AT THE LOWEST PRICES IN THE CITY. EVERY CAR IS IN THE BEST OF MECHANICAL SHAPE. THE UPHOLSTERING IS IN GOOD CONDITION

WE WILL GIVE A POSITIVE GUARANTEE ON EVERY CAR WE SELL TO BE EXACTLY AS REPRESENTED. DRIVE ANY OF THESE CARS THREE DAYS IF NOT SATISFACTORY IN EVERY WAY BRING IT BACK

OAKLAND

PRACTICALLY NEW. 1922 SPORT MODEL. SIDE WINDSHIELDS SPOTLIGHT. BUMPERS OTHER EXTRAS. LOOKS LIKE NEW AND IN MIGHTY FINE RUNNING ORDER. GOOD TIRES.

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1919 ELGIN

TOURING CAR A GOOD BUY FOR THE MONEY.

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1916. IN GOOD MECHANICAL CONDITION. TIRES GOOD. YOU CAN AFFORD THIS CAR AS IT IS A BARGAIN.

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1919 MODEL. NEWLY PAINTED AND OVERHAULED. BUMPER AND SPOTLIGHT.

90 SIX CYL. OVERLAND

WITH CONTINENTAL MOTOR. GOOD APPEARANCE AND RUNNING ORDER. EXTRA GOOD CAR FOR THE MONEY.

OVERLAND TOURING

1922 YOU WON'T FIND MANY BARGAINS AS GOOD AS THIS ONE NEW TIRES. USED VERY LITTLE

BUICK COUPE

1919. THIS IS AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN. CORD TIRES. HERE'S YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO OWN A CLOSED CAR.

FORD SEDAN

1922. ALMOST LIKE NEW SPOTLIGHT. NEW TIRES. YOU CAN GET LOTS OF SERVICE OUT OF THIS CAR. BARGAIN PRICE. SEVERAL OTHER GOOD CARS NOT LISTED.

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PHONE MAIN 251

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RADIATORS—We have a Tyree Titan Burst Proof in stock for any make or model. Immediate installation. Fully warranted. See them. MODERN WELDING CO. 140 N Jackson St

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ELDORADO ST., W., 247—Garage for rent

MAIN ST., W., 257—Garage for rent Call Meridith Co, 320 E. Cerro Gordo. Main 205.

MONROE ST., N, 820—Garage for rent. Call Main 6017.

Motorcycles and Bicycles 15

MOTORCYCLE—Twin Harley Newly painted. New tires Good mechanical condition 383 424 E. Waggoner.

Repairing—Service Stations 16

AUTO PAINTING—Years of experience fits us to more than satisfy J. L. English. 335 E Prairie Main 632

AUTO PAINTING—No better time than now to get your car painted W. J. Wayne 450 E Waggoner Main 5632.

IT'S HERE—Workmanship, personal interest courteous treatment, modern equipment Wood St. Garage. Auto Repairing 252 E Wood St

Wanted—Automobiles 17

WANTED TO BUY—Your second-hand cars. We have all parts for some cars. New and used parts. Auto Parts Co., 1063 N. Water St.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating 20

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—

Our modern, scientific way of rug cleaning removes the dirt and germs but leaves the rug unharmed.
DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING
MERIDITH CLEANING CO
320-330 E Cerro Gordo St Main 205

RUG CLEANING—And shampooing. Dry cleaning binding and sizing Weaving a specialty. We make rag and fluff carpets and rugs Work called for and delivered
DECATUR CARPET & RUG CO
259 East Main Street, Main 1236

YOU WILL BE THANKFUL—at Thanksgiving time if you have your rugs washed by the Hamilton-Beach Method. Vacuums for rent Main 6318.

Dressmaking—Millinery 21

DRESSMAKING AND EMBROIDERING—of all kinds Call Main 6364

Laundering 24

FAMILY WASHINGS—Wanted. Work guaranteed Call Fairview 994

FAMILY WASHINGS—Bundle wash our specialty We call for and deliver, Quick service Fairview 1223.

IRONINGS—Also washings and ironings wanted Work guaranteed, Fair 916

Moving, Trucking, Storage 25

KEEP MOVING PLEASE—

But use Meridith equipment for satisfying service.
VANS—TRUCKS—DRAYS
Our storage department affords you a clean and safe place for storing household goods or merchandise
PACKING—SHIPPING—MOVING
MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE COMPANY
320 E Cerro Gordo St Main 205

TRUCKING—Light and heavy. Long distance a specialty. M 1540, F 1829.

Painting, Papering, Decorating 26

ADAM PAGE—Will do your papering and painting Now is the time to have your flues repaired Call Main 511.

ALL PAPERHANGING—Reasonably priced for guaranteed work, Call D M, Smith, Main 3371 or 1665

PAPER CLEANING wanted. Call Quaker Drug Co., Walter Hantz. Main 223

WEYGANDT, W. L.—Painting and interior decorating, and finishing. Guaranteed materials and work. Call Main 4410, 1311 N Monroe

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MARXMILLER, DR H W.—DENTIST—614 Standard Life Bldg Main 700.

PRINCE, DR. A. E—

Eye Ear, Nose and Throat Of Springfield, Ill. Consultation days every Tuesday at offices of Dr Tobey (Dentist), 550 Standard Life Bldg, Decatur, Illinois

WHITE, DR J V.—Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Refraction. Cits Bank Bldg, 9-12 A M, 2-5 P M and by appointment

Repairing, Refinishing 29

BODINE ELECTRIC SHOP—High class electrical repairing, motor winding, trouble shooting. 2233 East William St. Main 2193

CLOCKS REPAIRED—At your home. Call Main 3371 or 1665.

DECATUR SHOE REPAIR SHOP
SHOE REPAIRING—SHINING PARLOR
132 S. MAIN STREET

HARDWOOD FLOORS — Laid right by expert, warped, worn floors repaired. Best work, reasonable prices. Main 6017.

HOME REPAIRING—For any repairs about your home call the Home Repair Shop, 216 East Division. Fair. 1637

WATCH REPAIRING—Let us please you with our guaranteed satisfactory work Martin Watch Shop, 146 North Main

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

COMPETENT GIRL—For cooking and general housework; good wages; references required 595 Powers Lane, Main 4440

GIRLS—Experienced, to wait on tables. Canton Tea Gardens 828 North Water.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, Middle aged. Write Box 106 Bement, Ill.

NURSE GIRL wanted. Apply at 466 West Macon street

SALLSLADIES WANTED—Must be neat, sales experience not absolutely necessary as we train you Call between 6 and 8 p m at St. Nicholas Hotel. Ask for Mr. Mader.

WAITRESS—Experienced Apply R. R. Y. Annex. 1164 E Eldorado.

WHITE GIRL—Experienced, to assist with light housework; good wages to right party. Fairview 2289.

WOMAN to work in laundry. 152 South Main.

Help Wanted—Male 33

BARBERS—Make good money. Earn while you learn business in few weeks. Decatur Barber college. 238 E. Eldorado.

EXPERIENCED CABINET MACHINE MEN—Wanted. No others need apply. Mueller Fountain & Fixture Co.

MEN WANTED—Who know Fords, for spare time work. Address Box 497 care Review

SALESMAN—To sell medium priced cars. State age and experience. Address Box 499 care Review.

SALES DISTRIBUTOR—Exclusive territory, on Ford easy starting device, proven to be greatly in demand. J. O Frizzell, 241 E. Main. Phone Main 486.

YOUNG MAN for bookkeeping and general office work. Must be of good character, alert, unafraid of work, ambitious and possess qualifications necessary to fit self for executive work. High school graduate preferred. No shirkers need apply. Answer in own handwriting, giving complete qualifications and information in first letter. Address Box 501, care Review.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male 33

SHOE CLERKS—Experienced, wanted, Salesmen and salesladies, regular and Saturday Extra good pay to right party. Apply at once. Ask for Mr. Schiff, Decatur Dry Goods Co. Shoe Department.

Solicitors, Canvassers, Agents 35

INSURANCE—Agents wanted to sell full line of health and accident insurance in connection with automobile insurance and stock company. Lincoln Casualty Co., Springfield, Ill

MEN—Wanted to sell our high grade line of blankets, on liberal credit terms. Call after 5 p. m. C. F. Adams Co, 754 N. Monroe St.

RUG AND DRAPERY SALESMAN—Experienced, wanted to act as assistant buyer, also competent carpet and linoleum layer. Permanent position with one of the largest department stores in Danville, Ill. For personal interview call Sunday between one and three p. m for Mr W. F. Sharp at Hotel Orlando, Decatur, Ill

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SALESMAN—Will have opening for specialty salesman in Decatur after first of year. Applicant must be able to give bond and at least one bank reference. Give full information about self in first letter. Personal interview will be arranged. Write Ben Solby, Normandie hotel Springfield, Ill

Situations Wanted—Female 36

EXPERIENCED COOK—Will help by hr or day with your parties, etc Main 2945

STENOGRAPHER—And bookkeeper high school graduate, wants position. Experience considered more than salary. Box 496, care Review

STENOGRAPHER — Experienced desires position. Address Box 500, care Review.

Situations Wanted—Male 37

EXPERT BOOKKEEPER—Wants to operate small set of books, full or part time. Address Box 498 care Review.

YOUNG MAN—With good education wants employment of any kind. Call Fairview 2295

YOUNG MARRIED MAN—Wants to work for some reliable firm where good honest work and effort is more essential than experience and where there is a chance for advancement. Best of references. Address Box 495, care Review.

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BAKERY—Fine location Selling on account of health 314 E Leafland.

GROCERY—Small stock and fixtures, doing nice little cash business, Call Main 2287.

HOTEL—3 lots, 11-room house used as hotel only hotel in town, 40x48 building used for garage business, out buildings property, 1st-class condition Electric lights Call or write, Southern Hotel, Beecher City, Ill

ONLY DRUG STORE—In Ivesdale, and priced to sell Address R. E. Milligan, Ivesdale, Ill.

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Money to Loan 40

LOANS—

Amounts from $10 to $300 Give you from one to fifteen months to repay it We loan on pianos, furniture etc. "Legal Rates" Under State supervision.

FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY

316 Citizens Bank Bldg. Main 370

LOANS AND REAL ESTATE—

ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE.

JOHNSON & BOBB, 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

MONEY TO LOAN—On city property. Good mortgages for sale, Sohocnle & O'Mara, 123 E Main St. Main 2208

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets 47

BOSTON TERRIER PUPPIES—Three. See them evenings or Sunday at 1716 North Grandview

TWO YOUNG SINGERS, also two young hounds. Fairview 404 828 South Jackson.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles 48

SALT—Coarse salt for livestock, 85c cwt, dairy salt, cotton bags, $1, 50-lb blocks, 55c, 10-lb table salt, 20c. Garver Feed House. Water and Wabash Railroad

TEAM—Wagon and harness, Cheap if taken at once. Main 6817.

Poultry and Supplies 49

BUFF ORPINGTONS—Eighteen hens, Mrs Frank Bromley, Dalton City, Ill

FIFTY PULLETS—White Rock, $1 50 each. William Rau, Latham, Ill.

I. A. WALLINS, INC—Always pays full cash value for poultry, eggs, hides, junk. 305 Wabash Ave. Main 21.

I. E SWIFT—Full market prices paid for poultry and eggs. Will call for your produce 840 N. Dunham. Fair. 1856.

WHITE LEGHORN—Pure bred, Barron Strain. Single comb cockerels, pullets and hens, $1 each, if taken immediately. C. Musselman, Hammond, Ill.

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BABY CARRIAGE—Blue frosted finish; like new. 1820 East William. Fair. 2172.

MIRROSCOPE—Electric, shows postcard size picture. In fine condition. Main 973.

Business and Office Equipment 52

ALL MAKES REBUILT—And new typewriters for sale. Decatur Typewriter Service Co., 351 N. Main St. Main 1737.

ROLL TOP DESK and office fixtures A bargain. 225 North Main. Main 4522.

TYPEWRITER TABLE, swivel desk chair, swivel typewriter chair, oak filing cabinet, check protector, and Burroughs adding machine for sale Phone Main 186. 220 New Suffern Building.

TYPEWRITER—Standard make. Excellent condition. Cheap. Call at 256 E. Main.

Building Materials 54

DIRT—For sale, corner West Wood and Oakland Ave., or call F. 1879.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers 56

COAL DELIVERED—Truck or team. Union drivers. Call Main 5768. Geo. Hinton

COAL HAULING from either mine. Ed Casey. Main 6817.

Good Things to Eat 57

APPLES—Wilow Twig, $1 per bushel. County 910, ring 4.

Home-Made Things 58

PILLOWS FOR XMAS—Made of live goose feathers Write for samples and prices. C. Musselman, Hammond, Ill.

Household Goods 59

BENCH and wringer, in good condition; reasonable. 854 North Woodford.

COMPLETE FURNISHINGS—Of 11-room house, 110 N. Edward. Main 4078.

COOK STOVE—In first-class condition. Call at 2042 N. Union.

FURNISHINGS for ten rooms; will sell one piece or complete outfit. Apply 355 East William.

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Household Goods 59

FURNITURE for three rooms; cheap if taken at once 941 South Jackson.

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It is not necessary to run up a bill of $300 or $400 to start housekeeping. We are showing for the next ten days in our Unredeemed Storage Furniture Department a four-room outfit which far surpasses anything we have ever attempted. Think of getting four rooms completely furnished—bed, springs, dresser, new cotton mattress sideboard, dining table, six chairs, cook stove, floor covering for kitchen, two room size rugs, heater and two rockers all for $108.40. But you must act at once. We also have a very fine three-piece overstuffed suite in velour at a bargain

If you can use a good fumed or golden oak library table, a dresser or chiffonier, come in and see us at once
MERIDITH'S STORAGE AND FURNITURE COMPANY
320 East Cerro Gordo Main 205
CASH OR CREDIT

RUG—Hartford Saxony, 9x12, good as new. A bargain Main 3001

SEWING MACHINE—In good condition. Cheap 1242 E Vanderhoof.

Musical Instruments 62

BRUNSWICK Phonograph, large size and sixteen record selections, used short time, took it in on piano exchange; priced to sell at a real bargain. Wm. Gushard Co Main 4391

BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH—Christmas special for December. Brand new instrument and twelve record selections, only $69 50. $5 delivers. Wm. Gushard Co Main 4391.

PIANOS—Over a dozen bargains, Prices $75 to $395 Easy terms, Suffern Music House, 139 E. North St.

UPRIGHT PIANO—Walnut case, In first-class condition Main 8447

USED SONORA—Almost like new; a real buy, on convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs Music Department.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 64

BLOOMING POT-PLANTS—Xmas wreaths and decorations cut flowers Wm Strocher Florist, 1509 E. Lawrence, F. 976.

Wearing Apparel 65

BOY SCOUT UNIFORM—Sixty dollar. All wool, worn twice, hat, coat, trousers, and wool puttees, cheap, George M Downs, Toosland, Ill

LADIES' STYLISH SUIT—And wool dress, Like new Size 38 Main 4787.

MEN'S CLOTHING—and shoes bought and sold. Army blankets, clothes, etc. We pay highest prices—Sell for less.
O K SHOE REPAIR SHOP.
754 D Eldorado St. Main 871.

MINK CAPE—Fine condition. Almost new. Very cheap. Main 6136.

U. S. GOVERNMENT UNDERWEAR—2,500,000 pieces new Government Wool Underwear, purchased by us to sell to the public direct at 75c each. Actual retail value $2.50 each. All sizes. Shirts 34 to 46, drawers, 30 to 44, Send correct sizes, Pay postman on delivery or send us money order. If underwear is not satisfactory, we will refund money promptly upon request. Dept. 24. The Pilgrim Woolen Co., 1476 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Gifts For Her A

AMERICAN BEAUTY IRONS—She will appreciate one for Christmas. None better $7 50, Rex Electric Co., 114 East William St.

AUTOMOBILE—The good Maxwell in any of six beautiful models. All the family will take pride in the new comforts of this popular car Hanson Garage, 235 E, Wood St, Main 1380

CANDIES—Home-made candy packed in pretty boxes she'll surely appreciate. Eureka Confectionery 175 N. Water.

CANDIES—Made in Decatur's most sanitary candy kitchen. Packed in pretty boxes. An ideal Xmas gift. Empress Confectionery. 411 N. Water.

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Open a Christmas Savings account for her at the Farmers State Bank and Trust Co.

DIAMONDS—In all the latest mountings. $25 and up. Payment plan, Heil McClimans Co., 125 N Main

DON'T GIVE YOUR STENOGRAPHER—A sealskin coat for Christmas—get that for your wife—buy the stenographer the Noiseless Typewriter—a year round joy for the whole office force.

EAR-RINGS—All the newest novelties, fancy designs and drops. This week specials less 10%. Heil McClimans Co., 125 N. Main.

GIVE HER—A genuine Victrola that will put joy in her heart and lighten her work. Cabinet and period models, $100 and up. Terms $10 down and $10 monthly. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St.

HAIR GOODS and fancy combs make splendid Xmas gifts. Mrs. Heliers Hair Shop, 136 S. Water St.

MAKE HER HAPPY—With an Apex Cleaner, or Rotorex Washing Machine. 260 N. Main St.

"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"—This Christmas. Daut Bros., Florists.

SCHILLER PIANO—A lasting gift that she will always appreciate. Linn & Scruggs Music Dept.

VANITY CASE—Comb, compound, mirror in ivory case Acceptable and essential lady's gift. Phone Main 4191 for demonstration, Fuller Brush Co.

WATCHES—JEWELRY—Select your gift for her at our store, large line, low prices Jewelry engraving. Butter Mfg. Jeweler, 280 N. Main.

WHEN YOU BUY HER PRESENT—Make it a lasting one—A Singer Sewing Machine, 250 N, Main St.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Gifts For Him B

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Open a Christmas savings account for him at the Farmers State Bank and Trust Co.

CIGARS, TOBACCO, AND PIPES—Full line of clear Havana and domestic cigars, cigarets and smoking tobacco in holiday packages We carry Wm. Demuth & Co., line of pipes and smokers articles. We also carry Alfred Dunhill imported pipes, smoking tobacco and cigarets, which make ideal Xmas gifts. for him. John Spotts. 112 Merchant St.

EVERSHARP PENCILS—And Tempoint Pens, two acceptable and useful gifts for him Linzweiler Printing Co., 249 N. Main St.

FULLER SHOWER—For men and family. Pays for itself by saving water bills. Used in every home, with or without water connection. Wonderful for camping trip Phone Main 4191 for demonstration.

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Gifts For The Children C

A GIFT that will last for years and be appreciated for its sterling worth—an Equitable Life of Iowa policy. Start him right. Call Main 4049. M. C. Nelson, general agent. George M. Proctor, Thomas Hughes, agents. 440-441 Standard Life Bldg.

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CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Start a Xmas saving account for your boy or girl at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Co.

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS ACCOUNTS—Or regular savings accounts are worthwhile gifts for children. National Bank of Decatur.

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Gifts For The Home D

BOOKS—For old and young in all prices to suit any purse. Buy it at Mac's, 429 N Water St

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REBUILT TYPEWRITERS—Standard makes. Guaranteed for one year. An excellent gift. Decatur Typewriter Service Co., 351 N. Main St.

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For Christmas Dinner E

APPLES—Fancy Jonathan and Roman Beauties, $3 per box. Grape fruit by the case for Xmas. Also fancy fruit baskets of all kinds of assorted fruit, $2 up. Decatur Fruit and Produce Market, 131 E. Main. Main 7060

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CHURCH, N., 536—Large modern well furnished room. Also garage. Gentlemen only.

CLOSE IN—Desirable sleeping room, suitable for one or two. Fairview 873.

EDWARD ST., N., 940—Modern furnished downstairs room with lavatory. F. 1158

ELDORADO ST., W., 423—Modern room, city heat, lady preferred, Main 6776.

MAIN ST., E., 2105—Modern furnished room; gentlemen only. Main 5665.

MAIN ST., W., 562—Large modern front room. Fairview 146.

MAIN ST., W., 600—Modern front room; lavatory, hot water; men or couple.

MAIN ST, W., 712—Modern furnished room, private family. Main 5427.

MAIN ST., W., 1150—Two modern furnished rooms, either suite or bedrooms; upstairs.

NORTH ST., E., 912—2 sleeping rooms in modern home. Main 4268.

NORTH ST., W., 220—Modern furnished room; main floor. Private entrance, city heat, Call 304 W. North. Main 1507.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 335—Nice, large, front bedroom with alcove and large closet. Main 2914.

SLEEPING ROOM—Suitable for two gentlemen. Main 6490.

UNION ST., N., 1150—Nicely furnished, modern, sleeping room. Main 5022.

WILLIAM ST., E., 1111—Mod. rooms, with or without board. Prices reasonable.

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CLINTON ST., N., 1571—Two or three l. h. k. rooms with privilege of bath.

CLOSE IN—2 modern l. h. k. rooms. Call Fairview 100.

COLLEGE ST., N., 811—2 clean modern furnished l. h. k. rooms, well heated. Main 4717.

DECATUR ST, W. 1100—3 or 4 nicely furnished l-h-k rooms, modern, private and clean, Adults Fairview 1320.

DECATUR ST., W., 1013—Modern room with kitchen privileges. Men or man and wife, preferred.

EDWARD ST., N., 1275—2 furnished rooms for l. h k. Heat

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 1020—2 furnished modern l h. k rooms.

TWO well-furnished, all modern light housekeeping rooms; ground floor; private entrance; close in; west; adults; must be reliable. Box 502, care Review.

UNION ST. N. 1365—Two nice front furnished rooms, strictly modern.

WILLIAM ST., E. 1021—Modern rooms for l. h. k. furnished or unfurnished.

WOOD ST., E., 818—Large modern room, downstairs, private entrance. Call evenings or Sunday.

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BROWN'S CAFE, 865 N. WATER—Serve the best meals in Decatur for 25 cts. Fresh, home cooked foods.

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PRAIRIE AVE., W., 515—Thoroughly modern apartment. City heat, Main 1682

WATER ST., N, 1328—4 room all modern flat, 2nd floor, hot air furnace, Call Dr Bell, 957 N. Water.

WEST END APARTMENT—Choice, rooms, near university, Three sleeping rooms. Reference required. $75. Main 6261.

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NEXT TO LEATH'S FURNITURE STORE—Very desirable 40x80, heat furnished; splendid location. Certain kinds of business will be given preference. Apply A. Leath Co. 438 N. Water St.

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EAST SIDE—5-room modern house, near Staley's and Wabash. Desirable location. Call Mr. Rainey, Main 551.

EAST SIDE—New 5 room modern house. Possession at once, Call B. H. Casseh, Main 2151.

EIGHT ROOM—Modern house. With garage Will sell. Well located Main 5751

FOUR ROOM HOUSE—And two room flat, Steam heat. J. L. Drake. 330 N. Main St

GARFIELD AVE., 235—Five-room house; lights. Fairview 516 2569 East William.

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MACON ST., W., 700—Modern eight-room house. Garage for 2 cars. Full lot First class Call C E Ward

MACON ST., W., 871—6-room, modern cottage. Call 801 W. Macon Main 946

NORTH—Of Roosevelt Jr. high Desirable 7-room modern house. Main 2362

NORTHEAST PART—6-room all modern house Call Burtschi and Co.

NORTH ST., E.—5-room house, modern except gas. Call at 2482 E North

TENTH ST., N., 343—5-room, strictly modern house Furnished or unfurnished, Inquire 1441 E. Wood

TWO MODERN COTTAGES—Garage, Barranger Hardware Co.

WEST END—5-room modern, furnished cottage. Call H. H. Munson, 1266 W Macon St.

WEST SIDE—Furnished home Immediate possession Reasonable Main 6338.

Wanted—To Rent 81B

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four unfurnished rooms or apartment Main 2172

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DOUGLAS CO.—120 acres for sale or exchange. Well improved, tiled, near good town, fine neighborhood, Prefer smaller tract nearer Decatur, suburban or city property.
L. W. NILES, REALTOR
116 N. Water St Main 381

FARM—All cultivated, with house, and out buildings. Will trade for city property. Call Louise Clark Fairview 1201.

LARGE MACON COUNTY FARM—Well improved. Mostly fine black land. Will accept good trade for about half. Submit an offer. J. L. Drake. 330 N. Main St

120 ACRES—Well improved. Fine Macon county, land 12 miles east on Ocean to Ocean highway. Will sell or exchange for Decatur business property. Frank A. Chapin, 462 W. William St, Main 4289.

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BUNGALOW—Monthly payments as low as rent, $300 down, New, modern, north end, home you will appreciate. Phone Main 4902. Noon to 2 p. m.

BUNGALOW— new, up-to-date, built-in features, breakfast nook, terms. M. 1708.

BUNGALOW—New 5-room, room for bath, electric lights, located east. Reduced price $2,500 $300 cash
W. F. PICKLE
146 E, Main St. Main 1622.

COTTAGE—

At Woodbine Park, known as "Blue Mound" Cottage. To be moved or torn down Lots of good lumber in this building See it and make offer to superintendent on the grounds or to Cope & Fisher, 210 New Suffern Building.

COTTAGE of five rooms; furnace, electric lights, gas and room for bath. On North Water Street. A real buy at $2,800. Also nice, high lot with sewer, city water and walks; in west part; $500, on easy terms.
W. F. PICKLE
146 E. Main St Main 1622.

CUSHING ST, WEST—

Five-room residence, modern except bathroom, which is ready for equipment. Long living room, large dining room, two extra nice large bedrooms, ample closet space, oil shades, gas range, insurance policy and taxes paid for 1922 will go as part of this sale. House now vacant. Located on lot 40x150. New street paving paid. For only $3,250, on terms. A real buy.
DICKERSON & CLONEY,
REALTORS
Office, 204 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2464
Residence Phone Main 4750

EAST SIDE—Eight rooms thoroughly modern. Full corner lot. Price, $4,500. Call Ed Drobisch, Jr. Main 2047

ELDORADO ST., E.—Six-room cottage; lights, gas; city water, sewer, good basement; full lot; south front; paved street; first-class condition; $3,300; $500 or more down, balance as rent.
RICE & STRINGER
119 South Water Street. Main 4951.

FORREST AVE., W., 1500—Block. Thoroughly modern 8-room brick and stucco house. Contains sun parlor, breakfast room, fire place, all built-in features. Brick and tile, heated garage. Ready now for occupancy. Apply R. E. Ralphs, 1495 W. Decatur. Main 6719.

HOUSE—Modern 6-room. Hot water heat. On car line. $300 down, balance like rent. Call Louise Clark. Fairview 1201.

LAURENCE ST., E., 732—All modern six-room house. Inquire 651 E. Decatur St.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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MAIN ST., N.—Six-room modern cottage; real bargain. Two beautiful bungalows; Taylor avenue. Ten new modern bungalows, north and west. 155 acres, improved, close to Argenta; $11,000 will take; trade. Allen, 145 Merchant Street.

MAIN ST., W.—8 rooms, bath, thoroughly mod. newly painted. Full lot, garage. 7 rooms on Ewing Ave, mod., up-to-date. R. S. Bohon, 134 E. Prairie, Main 395.

NEAR UNIVERSITY—Eight-room, strictly modern house, $7,000; five-room cottage, northeast part, $3,000. I have several cash buyers for homes well located and priced right.
FRANK GODWIN, REALTOR,
112 South Main Street Main 454

NORTH—Six rooms, part modern, pavement, $2,850. Also five-room, modern bungalow, $500 down; price, $3,600. Call Main 373.

NORTH—By owner, four large rooms, part modern, large enclosed back porch, pantry and closet, paved street, close to Water car and Warren school. $2,500. Half cash. Balance like rent. Fairview 2166.

NORTHWEST—6-room bungalow, mod. 4 room house, full lot; bargain, East—5-rooms, modern, J. T. Pierce. Main 4550.

NORTHWEST PART—6 rooms strictly modern, paved street and garage. Paving paid, $650 down. Fairview 70.

OAKDALE ADDITION—Cozy, new bungalow, five rooms, all modern, oak floors, large lot, garage, on paved street; for quick sale, $5,500; only $700 cash; balance as rent. If interested call R. E. Hazenfield. 116 Merchant St Main 274.

RIVERSIDE—9 rooms on 2 full lots. Hard wood floors, 3 grates, front and back stairs, fruit, shade. $4,800. Main 5550.

ST. LOUIS AVE., 1100 BLOCK—Brand new four-room bungalow, modern and nicely finished Call Main 2103, H. H Wise, 653 S. Oakland ave.

WEST—Six-room, colonial home, $1 500 down. Price is right. Main 373.

WEST SIDE—Close in, seven-room house, in fine condition and location; fireplace, hardwood floors, new brick garage, large lot Sold on good terms Fairview 1349.

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BUILDING LOT—Large side lot, 40x110 ft close to Edward car line. South front. New pavement, Inquire 812 N. College

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Wanted—Real Estate 89

HAVE BUYER—With $1,000, wants modern home of 5 or 6 rooms, two with $500 each. If you want to sell see me.
L. W. NILES
116 N. Water St. Main 38.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.
State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.
In the Circuit Court, January Term, A. D, 1922. Case No 27,371.
Rose Bayers versus Edward J. Bayers, in chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that Edward J. Bayers, one of the defendants in the above entitled cause, is a non-resident of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you, the said Edward J. Bayers, that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, the said Edward J. Bayers, returnable on the first day of the next January term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the second Monday of January, A. D. 1923. Now, unless you, the said Edward J. Bayers, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this seventh day of December, A. D. 1922.
HARRY R BUTT
(SEAL) Clerk Circuit Court.

NOTICE
State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.
In the County Court. To the December Probate Term, A. D 1922.
In the Matter of the Petition of Lizzie Kinney for appointment of Conservator for Homer James Dunn.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that Homer James Dunn named defendant in the above entitled cause is a non-resident of the State of Illinois, now therefore, notice is hereby given to the above named Homer James Dunn that petition has been filed by the above named Petitioner in said Court in probate praying that a conservator be appointed for you, said Homer James Dunn, and that said cause is now pending, and that summons has been issued out of said Court against you, the said Homer James Dunn, returnable to the next December Probate Term thereof, to be held in the Court House at Decatur on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1922 at 9 o'clock A. M.

Notice is further given that on the date above fixed said cause will proceed to trial and such orders will be entered therein as are authorized by law and the proof heard, at which time you may appear and defend if you see fit so to do.

Dated this 17th day of November, A. D. 1922.
(Seal) Charles H. Patterson,
Clerk of County Court.
McDavid, Monroe & Hershey,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. County Court of Macon County to the January Term, A. D. 1923.

John E. Freeman, executor of the last will and testament of Fletcher T. Phillips, deceased vs. Ella Phillips, Margaret Gertrude DeLaMater, Marjorie DeLaMater, Clara, Elliott McClure, Howe Elliott McClure and Anna Warnecke. Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Margaret Gertrude DeLaMater and Marjorie DeLaMater defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the County Court of Macon County, notice is hereby given to you, Margaret Gertrude DeLaMater and Marjorie DeLaMater, that the said plaintiff John E. Freeman, executor of the last will and testament of Fletcher T Phillips, deceased, has filed his petition in the County Court of Macon County for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot fifteen (15) of block two (2) of Millikin addition to the city of Decatur in the County of Macon, and State of Illinois.

And that a summons has been issued out of said Court against you, returnable at the January Term, A. D., 1923 of said Court to be holden on the second day of January, A. D. 1923, at the Court House in Decatur in Macon County, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said Margaret Gertrude DeLaMater and Marjorie DeLaMater shall personally be and appear before said County Court on the first day of said January Term, A. D. 1923, of said Court and plead, answer or demur to the said petition filed therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Dated this 20th day of November, A. D. 1922.
CHAS. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.
Vail, Pogue & Allen, Attys.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

West Side

Brick bungalow, five rooms and sun parlor. $1,500 down. $7,250.

Colonial home, two-story, six rooms, one of the finest. $1,800 down. Price, $7,000.

Bungalow, Woodlawn avenue, six rooms, garage in basement, everything fine. $1,500 down. Price, $7,350.

We have many more. Money to loan.

D. D. Hill & Son
614 Millikin Building Main 373

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Above The Average

Would you be interested in a thoroughly modern west side home at around $12,000 that could not be built for less than $15,000? It will only take $5,000 to get this fine home and you can move in right away.

C. A. Burks, Realtor
250 N. Water. M. 1505 Decatur, Ill.

Choice Lot

For sale in the northeast part of the city; on paved street and car line. sewer and sidewalk in; price only $400. Cheapest lot in that part of Decatur.

James O'Mara
123 East Main Street Main 2208

West Side

New five-room modern home in fine location

Five acres, improved, for trade for four or five rooms, located in west or north part.

Wanted to buy 80 to 100 acres of good land, west of Decatur preferred, Fire insurance of all kinds written.

J. C. LYONS
824 West Macon Street Main 6409

WEST ELM STREET

Five-room, practically new brick bungalow. Very attractive home, Hardwood floors, built-in features, stationary wash tubs, very pretty window shades and gas stove. Novel built-in breakfast nook. Immediate possession, Paving and taxes for 1922 and 1923 paid. Owner leaving the city. Very popular residence location close to Roosevelt school.

Only $1,400 down required and $45 per month. If you have been looking for an up-to-date little home in a good neighborhood, better let us show you this.

R. F. Schwartz, Realtor
119 South Water Street Main 4951

GOOD HOMES

Six-room, modern bungalow, hardwood floors, fireplace, large lot, North Edward Street.

Five-room, modern bungalow, hardwood floors fireplace, garage, large lot, Taylor Avenue, only $6,250.

Six-room, part modern house, city water, gas, electric lights, regular size lot on paved street, west side; $3,000; good terms.

Six-room house, city water, electric lights, gas range, long lot, east frontage, North Union Street; $3,500.

B. F. Darden's Son
REALTOR
348 West Prairie Street Main 2520

STANDARD HOMES.

NORTH OAKLAND—Eight room, modern home. Hot water heat. For exchange on smaller home near the Macon County hospital.

WEST NORTH ST—Seven room, modern home, Hardwood trim Long living room. Three extra nice bed rooms. Full lot Price $6 250.

FAIRVIEW PLACE—Extra nice 5 room semi-bungalow. Hardwood trim, long living room, fireplace, Full attic, full lot. A dandy garage. Only $6,500 Owner leaving the city.

WEST LEAFLAND—A good modern 4 room cottage (equivalent to 5 ordinary rooms). Full lot, south frontage At a very reasonable price with small payment down

We have an extra well built residence, consisting of eleven large rooms which could be converted into two apartments with but little expense. There is not a better constructed frame building in Decatur. The lot upon which it is located is 97½ feet by 165 and could easily accommodate the erection of two more homes. In a popular north side location. Will exchange on a good west side property.

Dickerson & Cloney
REALTORS
Office 204 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2464.
Residence Telephone Main 4750.

Home Seekers Guide

EAST PART—New four-room bungalow; part modern; $2,850; $400 down.

NORTH PART—Close in on paved street; six-room cottage; has new furnace, full basement, city water, electric lights; on full lot; plenty of fruit; $2,750; half cash.

UNION STREET, NORTH—Close in, modern seven-room house except furnace; price, $3,350; $1,000 down.

EAST PART—New five-room modern bungalow; $3,800; $500 down. One for $300 down.

WEST PART—Five-room modern cottage on full lot; $4,500

NORTHEAST—Four-room, part modern, on full lot; $1,850, terms.

WEST MACON—Eight rooms, all modern, on extra large lot; double garage; $1,500 down; balance monthly.

MODERN BUNGALOW—Five rooms; $4,200; $1,000 down.

Decatur Real Estate Co.
729 GUSHARD BUILDING. MAIN 963

Own Your Own Home

WEST MAIN—Five-room, almost new bungalow; beautifully designed, artistically decorated, rooms all good sized; basement garage; 100-foot frontage; owner will sell at sacrifice price on extraordinarily liberal terms.

WEST DECATUR—Seven rooms, sun parlor, an exceptionally well appointed home with every built-in convenience, corner lot, near university, owner leaving city and offers home at sacrifice price on easy terms.

LINCOLN PLACE—Seven-room brick home, colonial type, sun room, sleeping porch, shower bath, ample closet space, garage, abundant shrubbery; offered at a real bargain and liberal terms; owner will consider some trade.

McCLELLAND AVENUE—Five-room, practically new bungalow, extra large living room, has oak floors, fireplace, breakfast nook, garage; owner will sacrifice $1,000 for quick sale; terms unusual; don't fail to make inquiry about this nifty home.

ON CITY HEAT—Seven-room brick home, Gothic type, oak floors throughout, attractively decorated, corner lot, owner offers this delightful home at a rare bargain on very easy terms; will consider other property in exchange.

NORTH MAIN—Six rooms, all modern, in excellent repair inside and out; lot 60x180; a real bargain at $4,700.

NEAR ROACH SCHOOL—Five-room, good as new, has fireplace, all built-in conveniences, full lot; priced to sell; only $800 first payment.

$750 down will handle a 5-room, all modern cottage, near the Roosevelt junior high. Full lot; garage, garden. Very home-like.

C. N. Gorham & Son
REALTORS
210 Standard Life Bldg. Main 4664

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STILL TROUBLE IN RAILROAD STRIKE

Report Clinton Man Told "to Move Out."

J. E. TAUSSIG THROUGH

Daily Demand for Cars Still Strong.

There is still an occasional bit of trouble arising in connection with the strike of the Wabash federated shop crafts in Decatur in which the services of the authorities are required.

Thursday evening, one of the present roundhouse employes, who came here from Clinton, was visited by a man, who told the former Clintonite that he had rented the house and for him to get out right away.

OUT OF TOWN.

The workman replied that he had been expecting to move and had been looking for a more modern house to move into. His caller then informed him that he did not get the full intent of the message, that the "get out" part meant for him to get out of town.

Later in the evening, the workman was to have met his wife at the transfer station but they missed each other and the wife, afraid that something had happened and afraid to go home, reported the matter to the police, who immediately informed the United States marshal. The workman said he could easily identify his caller.

Taussig Goes Through.

President J. E. Taussig of the Wabash, President E. F. Bush of the Missouri Pacific and Alex Robertson, former Wabash man here, but now vice president and general manager of the Missouri Pacific passed through Decatur early Friday morning, en route from Chicago to St. Louis. They were in Missouri Pacific private car No. 1 and Wabash private car No. 4.

Railroad Notes.

The breaking of a knuckle pin between two flat cars carrying a double load of steel rail at Forrest late Thursday night, caused the load of steel to be dumped on the main line. The Decatur wrecker, which had been working at Orland but which was on its way to Decatur, was called back from Strawn. The night trains Nos. 17-13 were delayed several hours.

In the assignment of several trainmen jobs Friday noon, Conductor Wilkins bid in the Tilton layover of the switch local, Conductor Anderson, the Mt. Olive jug and Brakeman Frank Curran, the rear on the merchandise local, Decatur layover.

W. M. Arnold, store room foreman at the Wabash locomotive shops, is off from work from serious illness.

A former electrical foreman in the Wabash mechanical department, who has been on strike since July 1, returned to work at the shops Thursday.

A clerical position as freight house foremen's clerk at the Wabash is open for bids to Dec. 12.

The position as iron stock clerk at the Wabash locomotive store department has been assigned to E. O. Walker, who has been working at the oil house.

The daily demand for grain cars on the Decatur division of the Wabash continues heavy with not enough cars to give relief. Elevator orders Thursday indicated those places had enough grain on hand to fill 241 cars but there were only fourteen cars on hand with which to fill the orders.

Wabash Engineer Brannon, bumped from the south passenger pool by the return of Engineer Ewing, has bumped Gustafson from the switch local.

PATENT PAPERS TO ART INSTITUTE

Mrs. George Haworth Makes Handsome Gift.

Patent papers and drawings which marked a turning point in the development of corn growing in the corn belt were given to the Art Institute this week by Mrs. George Haworth. Those papers are the original grants and blue prints of the first check rower corn planter as developed by her husband and on which one of the most successful of the early industries of Decatur was founded.

With the patent certificate, which is beautifully engraved, is a medal, designed by St. Gaudens, which was awarded to the patent at the World's fair.

The articles will be placed in a proper case and will be cared for by the Macon County Historical society.

LOUIS SIEGMAN EIGHTY YEARS OLD

Number of Friends Help Him Celebrate.

Louis Siegman, 139 North Fairview, will be eighty years old Saturday, but a number of his friends are helping him observe the occasion Friday instead of Saturday. They had dinner together at noon, and are spending the afternoon with him.

In the party are W. F. Calhoun, W. N. Hodge, W. J. Magee, John Armstrong, Cyrus Imboden, George Martin, Henry Barnhart, W. P. Butt, J. W. Stroup, W. H. Walley, W. A. Davenport, Cyrus Gossert, J. T. Francis, Thomas Sly, David Hoff, F. M. Bumgardner, and Dr. A. S. Hayes of Duncannon, Pa.

News From the Sick.

Mrs. John Nitchie, who underwent a serious operation Monday at St. Mary's hospital, is reported improving.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Hi-Y club have added five new members to its roster. They are Donald Baird, Roy Brady, Leroy Schuppan, Andrew Santanen and Hugh Odor.

The Employed Boys Brotherhood will have their bi-monthly supper at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening. This organization includes both the Mueller Triangles and the Green Triangles. At the supper J. M. Allen will be the speaker and will discuss "Qualifications that an Employer Wants in His boys."

The boys appreciate these messages from the business men and enjoy contact with them.

50 ACRES NEEDED TO COMPLETE LAKE

Most of It Now in Legal Proceedings.

Tracts of land which are involved in legal proceedings before absolute title can pass to the Decatur Water Supply Co. are now only a small tracts, the largest being only about ten acres with others running as low as fractional acres.

Where minor heirs are involved the court procedure is a necessity and where failure to agree on prices is impossible the condemnation trial is the only recourse. Altogether less than fifty acres remain to be finally acquired in the whole acreage of nearly 3,800 acres.

TO DRIVE THROUGH TO PALM BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mack To Start Next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mack, 724 West Packard street will leave Decatur Tuesday, Dec. 26 for a motor trip to Palm Beach, Fla. They are driving a seven passenger car, and not wishing to allow all of the unused space to be wasted, conceived the idea of advertising in The Review for two additional passengers to make the trip with them.

"I have had more than a dozen inquiries from people who wished to go along" said Mr. Mack Friday. "I have not yet decided who I will take, but there seem to be plenty of people who want to go to Florida for the winter, from the responses I have had from my ad."

RED CROSS ROLL NOW UP TO 143

Many Waiting For Some One To Call —No Solicitation.

Friday morning the number of Red Cross memberships taken had increased to 143.

It has been discovered that many people who have always ben members of the association are still waiting for some one to call upon them for their membership. This will not be done this year. The reminder that the membership fee is due comes through the newspapers and all should turn their money in to Mrs. Inez Bender without solicitation.

WALWORTH HOME FROM STOCK SHOW

Imboden Cattle Weighed More Than the Hall Stock.

E. H. Walworth, county farm advisor, returned Thursday night from attending the International Live Stock exposition at Chicago where he saw many fine specimens of live stock.

The Imboden car load of yearling Hereford fat cattle weighed more than did the car load of two year old Polled Angus belonging to Ed Hall, of Mechanicsburg, which took one of the prizes.

A number of Macon county farmers and stock men attended the big show.

BIG CROWD AT ST. PAUL'S BAZAAR

Many Served at Meals Thursday and Friday.

The opening day of the bazaar at the St. Paul's Lutheran church Jackson and East Prairie streets Thursday, although spoiled somewhat by inclement weather, brought a fairly good sized crowd. Both the noon luncheon and supper were served to capacity. Larger crowds are being cared for Friday as the weather has improved. A good crowd is expected also Saturday.

All kinds of fancy work, bakery goods, candy, tobaccos and groceries are on sale, which are decorated to represent a store. The amusement booths are proving to be popular.

STATE COMMISSION TIRED OF BUSSES

Owners Fail To Comply With Orders.

"Members of the Illinois Commerce Commission are about out of patience with the bus lines which do not follow the orders issued by the commission" said Ralph J. Monroe, corporation counsel for Decatur, who appeared before the commission Thursday in relation to the bus routes here.

"I do not believe that they would have hesitated to stop operation by bus companies who refuse to abide by the orders of the commission if I had crowded them to do it. Mr. Slater, particularly, seemed thoroughly tired of the failure of Mr. Borden to file his schedules as required by the rules of the commission."

Contagion.

Diphtheria — Harry Bechler, 830 Johns avenue, Fred McGregor over 248 North Main.

NO CHANGE IN COFFMAN CASE

Bond Not Yet Approved By Committee

There is no change in the situation as regards Macon county's treasurer-elect, B. F. Coffman. The special committee of the board of supervisors had two sessions Thursday, one in the morning and one in the afternoon, but when the meeting had been adjourned nothing had been accomplished.

It is understood that the committee will not approve a bond furnished by a surety company. At any rate, the committee is said to be unwilling to approve any bond of that kind unless the bonding company gives the board of supervisors assurance in writing that Macon county will never be asked to pay the premium on the bond or any part of it.

The committee has not yet had a chance to consult with State's Attorney C. F. Evans, he being busy in the circuit court. It is probable that nothing will be done until after the committee has had a chance to confer with him.

SYLVESTER PICTURE BEING RESTORED

Expect to Finish Work By Christmas.

The famous Sylvester painting, "The Sowing and the Reaping," which covers the south wall of the high school library, is emerging from its gloom and appearing resplendent in its original coloring under the skillful touch of Mrs. Ahlm, the Chicago artist engaged in renovating it. She began Monday and a good deal of the first day was occupied in erecting the staging from which she works. At noon Tuesday she had about one square yard of the upper left hand corner restored. It will be seen from this that it is not a before breakfast chore but calls for infinite time and pains. She expects to finish the work by Christmas.

APPLIES NEW COLORS.

Mrs. Ahlm has a platform about eight feet high of two inch planks supported by staunch trestles. This must be wide enough to allow some perspective and to give her plenty of room to work. She first cleans a small section of the painting and then applies new colors. It goes without saying that her sense of color must be about as keen as that of the artist who originally painted the picture. After she has gone over the entire picture she will apply a varnish which will protect the painting from dirt and permit it to be washed.

INCREASED IN VALUE.

This picture has increased in value enormously and the school authorities are reluctant to mention the value that is put on it by some critics. It is known to artists all over the country and its possession by the Decatur High school has made Decatur famous.

BLUE MOUND PUTS ON FINE PROGRAM

Educational Week Splendidly Observed

T. W. Samuels of Decatur was the principal speaker at a meeting held in the Methodist church at Blue Mound Thursday night as part of the observance of "Education Week." The church was filled in both the main auditorium and the Sunday school room.

Blue Mound has celebrated education week in earnest with a series of meetings which have taxed the capacity of the places where they have been held. The observance was fostered by the local school board and has been an unqualified success.

OTHER SPEAKERS.

A similar crowd to that which greeted Mr. Samuels attended the opening meeting of the series Sunday evening, when Captain Dancey spoke, telling of his escape from the Germans and other of his war experiences. "The Home, the Church and the School" was his subject.

R. C. Augustine of Decatur was the speaker for Monday night, with J. M. Beckett, former president of the Farm Bureau as chairman. The band played, children of the school sang, and Mr. Augustine spoke on "American Citizenship."

Superintendent John J. Richeson of the Decatur schools was the speaker Wednesday night, and met with a splendid reception.

MANY VISITORS.

During the week many persons have visited the schools, and the manual training department has had a number of talks by various members of the class.

The program Friday night will include music by the two bands, the juniors joining with the seniors in making a very fine band for the school.

SENATOR DUNLAP SPEAKS AT CISCO

Will Discuss Proposed Constitution Friday Night.

The proposed new constitution for the state of Illinois will be discussed and considered at a public meeting at Cisco tonight, held under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' association. The speaker will be Senator H. M. Dunlap of Savoy.

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

Send in briefly what you give to the "What Did You See" Editor of The Review. Give your name and address.

B. L. D. saw a man riding a bicycle Wednesd y night, with a big trunk strapped to his back.

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E. W. saw a boy leave his bicycle leaning up against the radiator of an automobile.

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Mrs. S. saw a young woman in knickerbockers in a Decatur theater with her feet up on the back of a seat.

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Mrs. R. saw two boys, barefoot, playing in the yard in December.

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J. D. saw a one armed man trying to fill a mudhole on North First street. He was making an effort to swing the shovel with his one hand.

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What did YOU see.

CHRISTMAS SEALS TO BE ON SALE

No Solicitation to Be Made in City.

The Red Cross Christmas seals will be on sale in Decatur in plenty of time for everyone who wishes them to secure a supply.

When the Tuberculosis association went into the Community Chest it was with the understanding that along with all other associations in that organization, no drives were to be made during the year. So many people have inquired, however, as to whether they were not to be able to secure them at all this year that further arrangements have been made.

ALLOWS SALE.

The question was taken up with the Chest officials who have said that they would be permitted in the stores provided no one was there to solicit the public to buy them. No seals will be mailed out as heretofore.

Many of those who wanted the seals did not think they would go to the headquarters to obtain them, and expressed themselves as wishing they could be on sale in the stores. Friday arrangements were started for these sales to be placed in the stores on sale. In the meantime anyone wishing them may obtain them from either Mrs. Inez J. Bender or the Red Cross or of Miss Stella Becker of the Tuberculosis and Visiting Nurses' association.

The sale of the stamps in Decatur last year amounted to close to $4,800 and this becomes quite an item in caring for the many tuberculosis patients needing attention.

During the day the stamps were sent from headquarters out over the county where the regular drive for their sale will be conducted along the line of former years.

OIL RUNNING OUT OF LINCOLN WELL

Would Blow Up if Escape Impossible.

Some one called up the Lincoln Gas & Oil Co. Thursday and informed them that the oil was running out of their well No. 1 near Twin bridges. He was informed that the company had known that for a long time. In fact it would be difficult to escape that information since it has been reported to them many times.

It was intended that the oil should escape from the well and provision was made for it. It is probable that the amount of oil which escapes is two or three barrels a day. If it could not escape the well would probably blow up and probably destroy the well.

ARRANGE FOR OKAW WELL.

The details for drilling the Okaw oil well No. 1 at Bethany were settled at a meeting of the directors of the Okaw Oil & Gas company and the officers of the Lincoln Gas & Oil company in Bethany Thursday afternoon. The Lincoln people signed a contract to drill the well and will receive 2,000 acres of oil leases in that field and a half interest in the well.

The well was not located because the roads were in such condition that they could not get out into the field. There are still a few leases necessary to block out the field are yet to be signed and recorded.

CRESSLER TO DRILL.

E. E. Cressler will do the actual drilling and it was expected that the contract with him would be closed Wednesday afternoon. He is now engaged in drilling the well at Mt. Auburn. This has reached a depth of a little more than 1,700 feet and it is expected that it will reach the oil bearing stratum by the middle of next week. This will determine whether or not the rig now at Mt. Auburn can be used for drilling the Bethany well. It is promised by the Lincoln people that the Bethany well will be started this month.

MEETINGS.

Starlight Rebekah Lodge, No. 767 — Meeting Friday night at 7:00 in the Odd Fellows hall, on East Main street.

Macon Lodge No. 8 A. F. and A. M.—Special meeting Friday night at 7:30. Water and William street.

Warren Benefit Show.

"Bob Hampton of Placer" is the benefit picture to be shown by the Warren school Mothers' club at the Alhambra theater Friday night. The picture is a Marshall Neilan production. The shows will begin at 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 p. m. Home-made candy and pop-corn will be sold in the lobby of the theater.

SAY SOLLARS IS ELECTED

Millikin Ballots Sealed but Indications Point to Veteran.

Although the ballot for the election of football captain for 1923 at Millikin University has been sealed and is to be announced at the banquet of the gridiron men Friday night, it is conceded on the campus of the local institution that Eugene "Jack" Sollars is to lead the grid warriors the blue and white next season.

THREE YEAR VETERAN.

"Jack" Sollars for three years has played splendid football at a tackle position and has gained a wide reputation among other colleges both for his strength as a defensive man and his ability to punt.

Sollars' kicking reputation has preceded him in journeys to other universities and he is regarded as a dangerous man to deal with when it comes to a punting duel.

IS POPULAR.

Sollars is a popular man at Millikin and is well liked by all who know him. He is a member of the Kappa Delta Chi fraternity and has been an officer in that Greek letter organization for the past two years.

All who are acquainted with Jack Sollars say that he will fill the position as ably as did Captain Lester Schroll of this year's eleven or "Rut" Ward of the year before. There will be a raft of material for the 1923 eleven and with the berth of tackle filled by an able a man as Sollars as a leader a whirlwind team should represent Millikin next year.

DYING STATEMENT READ TO JURY

State Closes in Shifflett Case.

The dying statement of Miss Mary Florence Shifflett, for whose death Dr. Albert Willis and Dean Taylor are now on trial in the circuit court was read to the jury Friday morning, and that closed the testimony for the state.

Thursday afternoon State's Attorney C. F. Evans notified the court that Miss Gertrude Clifton was an important witness, but that he was unwilling to vouch for the truthfulness of her testimony. He therefore asked the court to examine her as a witness for the court.

This was done and Miss Clifton testified that she accompanied Miss Shifflett to the office of Dr. Willis about 6:30 o'clock one evening last February and told what occurred there at that time.

DR. BELL TESTIFIES.

Dr. W. H. Bell was the first witness examined for the defense Friday morning. He told of having been called to the home of Mrs. Minnie Rigg on West Cerro Gordo street on Feb. 2 to see Miss Shifflett, who was then suffering from influenza and had a fever of 101. He had never known her before that day.

Later, on Feb. 10, she called at his office in company with an insurance agent. She carried disability insurance and wanted to get her insurance straightened up.

RETURNS TO WORK.

Dr. Bell said her condition at that time was such that she was able to return to work, but that she still had some bronchitis and was suffering some from pleurisy. He said that when a person has influenza the germs of the disease infest all the mucuous membranes of the body and settle in the weak places and may cause serious trouble, and could cause peritonitis. He would not say that it was the flu that caused peritonitis in the case of Miss Shifflett, but that it could have done so.

Dr. Thomas Lahners, who attended Miss Shifflett from the time her dying statement was made until her death, testified in regard to matters occurring at the hospital when the statement was made and as to the post-mortem examination.

SLOW IN REPLYING.

Mrs. Shoemaker, who testified Thursday, was on the stand again Friday morning. She testified that Miss Shifflett did not make prompt answers to questions asked her when her dying statement was being taken but that she waited several momente before replying.

On cross examination she was unable to remember a single question that had been asked Miss Shifflett.

Two Sisters of Mercy from St. Mary's hospital were on the stand in the forenoon. They testified as to the operation for peritonitis.

It is not known how much longer the case will last. Several more witnesses remained to be examined when the noon recess was taken, and it is understood that there will be a good many character witnesses for Dean Taylor.

Thursday and Friday the court room was crowded with spectators.

BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Phillips, 640 East Harrison street, Dec. 7, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green, 1144 East Eldorado street, Dec. 3, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Van Horn, 2304 East Eldorado street, Dec. 4, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Moran, 1700 East Eldorado street, Dec. 5, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Braughton, 2331 East Eldorado street, Dec. 6, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamilton, in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. White, 2486 North Monroe street, Dec. 6, a son.

Sues for Divorce.

Rose Bayers has filed a bill for divorce from Edward J. Bayers. They were married July 28, 1913, and lived together till in February, 1918. She charges him with desertion and asks for the custody of their little daughter.

DAY NURSERY HELPS FIFTY FAMILIES

Work Is Found for Nine Mothers During Month.

The regular monthly meeting of the Decatur Day Nursery was held Friday morning. The matron reported fifty families represented, six of these being new. The largest number of children any one day was fifty-two and the average attendance was thirty-nine, the aggregate attendance was 991, number coming free, eight, aggregating sixteen times.

Work was found for nine mothers. Four operations were performed for adenoids and tonsils during the month. The number of children attending kindergarten is 442 and all are doing excellent work.

The Review donated paper for the children's handwork and Miss Smith, a teacher, is donating a table for the younger children to work on.

The groceries cost $78.65, making the food cost seven cents for each child.

DONATIONS.

Donations for November were as follows:

Four bushel apples—Mr. McFarland.

Twenty-eight loaves bread—Davidson's bakery.

Bread—Conklin's bakery.

Bread—National bakery.

Food—Congregational church.

Turkey—Mrs. John Rainey.

Dressing and turkey—Parlor market.

Canned fruit—Mrs. William Barnes Jr.

Thirty sticks of candy—Mrs. Vade Conklin.

One-half bushel potatoes— Mrs. Charles Starr.

Two quarts milk—Mr. Pfeiffer.

Clothing—Mrs. Bopp.

One sweater, pair mittens, two suits of underwear—Miss Sadie Landers.

Clothing and shoes—Mrs. Lyons.

Clothing—Mrs. T. H. Bean.

Clothing—Mrs. W. E. Gray.

Clothing and dishes—Mrs. C. A. Ewing.

Clothing and toys—Mrs. William Barnes Jr.

Box of clothing and toys—Mrs. A. W. Kenney.

Rubbers—A friend.

Clothing—Miss Maude Burrows.

Thirty pieces of clothing were given out to the mothers.

FIFTY MEN HEAR DR. J. E. KIRBY

Tells of Organized Turkish Persecution.

That the difference between the Armenians and Greeks who sometimes arise in their wrath and kill Turks and the Turks who massacre the Armenians and the Greeks is that the former when they do these things do them as individuals or as groups and while the Turks do this kind of work systematically and according to officials orders.

The Turks are following a policy of official extermination of the Armenians and other Christian minorities in their territory, said the Rev. J. E. Kirby, who recently returned from Smyrna and other parts of Syria, in a talk to about fifty men who took luncheon together at the Orlando hotel Friday noon.

TELLS STORY OF GIRL.

The speaker then gave the story of one fourteen year old girl as she told it to him last summer when he was in that country, giving the details of the murder of her mother and brother, her own experience in nine different harems between the ages of nine and fourteen and the kidnapping of her younger brother.

This single story, one of many that he heard at the time that he took charge of 300 girl refugees left by the Turks to perish in the hinterland of Smyrna, is the story of hundreds of thousands of little girls in that country, said the speaker.

H. D. Spencer, chairman of the meeting, announced that Mr. Kirby would speak Friday night at the First Presbyterian church more at length on the same subject.

MUNICIPAL TREE NOT PROVIDED FOR

Not Taken Up By City Council Yet.

"There has been no further action on the part of the city Council regarding a municipal Christmas tree this year, and so far as I am concerned, personally, there will be none, although it may be brought up," was Mayor Borchers statement Friday. "The committee of the Rotary club which was considering having a tree has not reported yet. I understand however, that one of our Decatur citizens intends to have a tree and entertain on his own hook."

"I haven't heard a thing about a tree" said Frank Torrence.

START CLEANING SOME STREETS

Great Wagon Loads of Dirt and Trash Removed.

Employes of the street department are working on some of the streets and it is surprising what wagonloads of trash are gathered from the gutters, sometimes several loads within one block.

"The trouble with us in Decatur," remarked a man who looked upon the accumulation of leaves, mud, straw, sticks and other trash which had been heaped up in many piles along the gutter in one street, "is that we are educated to dirty streets instead of to clean streets."

Many Groups to Sing Carols Christmas Eve

To Revive Old Custom of Going on Streets and to Shut-Ins.

Decatur folks may expect to see, or rather hear, much Christmas caroling this holiday season, if the call for the Christmas carol booklets at The Review is any indication of the extent of the observance of the custom. There have been so many calls for the booklets that The Review has ordered another hundred copies. Already some of these have been spoken for.

The Otterbein guild of the Second United Brethren church took a dozen copies Friday. The Grace Methodist Epworth league was supplied with fifteen copies, and a call has come from Forsyth for a half dozen copies. These groups expect to sing the carols on or before Christmas.

The custom of singing Christmas carols on the streets or at places where there are old or shut-in people was formerly much more widely observed than it is today. Many people who enjoyed the practice have made efforts to have the custom revived and it is now becoming more and more popular. Each year sees an increase in the number of cities following the practice of carol singing.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

SUSPECT ROBBERY.

It is believed that the Chapman-Doake place early Friday was started by men who attempted to rob the safe, though the fire may have been an accident. The safe had been practically wrecked with a sledge hammer. The combination was broken off and it was otherwise damaged.

GET SIXTY DUCKS.

Ray Carlisle and Leon Monson have returned from a duck hunting trip to Bath on the Illinois river and succeeded in rounding up sixty ducks in the several days. They returned home Thursday night and distributed much of their game among their friends.

CHRISTMAS TREES OUT.

Christmas trees along the sidewalks are appearing in the business section. It adds to the holiday effect.

BOTTLE IN STREET.

A milk bottle fell from the wagon of a dairyman and broke in the 100 block West North street Friday morning. He stopped looked at the broken bottle rearranged the other bottles and then drove on without picking the broken glass up.

RIVER LEVEL.

The river level at noon Friday was 602, as compared to 603.11 at the same hour Thursday.

TO GIVE RECITAL.

The piano pupils of Mrs. John Ditto, 723 West Main street will have a recital in her home Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CANDY-TOY SALE.

The Home Economics department of the Central Junior high school will have a joint candy and toy sale at Linn and Scruggs, Saturday, Nov. 9 starting at 10 o'clock. Stuffed toys, dolls and home made candy will be on sale. The proceeds from the sewing classes will be used to buy an electric iron and other needed equipment.

IN SEVERAL TOWNS.

William McGinley, former Decaturite, who is to speak here Sunday afternoon against the adoption of the proposed new state constitution, is making a speaking tour in this campaign. He is to speak in Champaign Friday night, at Farmer City Saturday afternoon and Clinton Sunday night. After his appearance here Sunday, he will go to Aurora to speak Monday night.

CHEMISTS' CLUB.

The Chemists Club will meet in the liberal arts building Thursday evening to hear a talk by L. O. Gill, one of the Staley chemists, on Corn Products. The session will begin at 8 o'clock.

LONGLEY TAYLOR SPEAKS.

Longley Taylor of Chicago, state committeeman on publication of the Christian Science movement spoke to the members of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, 148 West Prairie avenue Thursday night concerning the duties of his committee. Mr. Taylor went to Champaign from Decatur.

RAIL MEN FEAR RADICALISM

Traffic Clubs Pass No Resolutions in St. Louis.

Fear that the present swing toward radicalism might result in legislation which would be worse than the present situation caused the members of the Associated Traffic Clubs of America, who met in special session at the Statler hotel in St. Louis, Dec 5 and 6, to pass no resolutions regarding legislation affecting railroads or traffic rates.

It was openly said that the LaFollette influence might be used to create laws which would be injurious to the traffic situation and all questions as to the labor board, anti-strike legislation, the question of earnings based on valuations and the subject of consolidations were left without any recommendation by the meeting.

Delegates were at this meeting from San Francisco, Washington, Atlanta, St. Paul, Oklahoma City and many other cities. Decatur, with its delegation of seven representatives, had the largest group of any traffic club represented at the gathering.

Those who went from Decatur were T. C. Burwell of the Staley Manufacturing company, R. L. Rees of the E-Z Opener Bag company, F. S. Coey of the Decatur Iron Works, M. M. Cooper of the Mississippi Valley Structural Steel company, Ralph Richmond of the Review Printing and Stationery company, L. F. Boss of the Wabash and D. C. Odell of the C. I. & W. railroad.

In the City's Churches

"What Is Worldliness?" will be the subject of Rev. J. W. McDonald's sermon for the Westminster church service Sunday morning in the university auditorium. In this sermon Dr. McDonald hopes to correct a mistaken idea of what worldliness is and to suggest Jesus' remedy. He requests that members of the congregation have in mind the following questions: Why does the New Testament attack worldliness? Can worldliness be refined and cultured? Is this refined variety more dangerous than the coarse variety? What kind of worldliness did Jesus fear? What are the marks of a worldly life today? What is the remedy? What is the opposite of worldliness? How may we promote it for ourselves and others?

Cleveland Live Stock

Cleveland, O., Dec. 8—(Bower & Bower Report)—HOGS — Receipts 5,000, steady $8.65.

CATTLE—Receipts 500, slow, $10.00.

LAMBS—Receipts 750, steady $15.25.

SHEEP—Receipts 750, steady $7.00.

CALVES—Receipts 400, steady, $12.00.

Late Markets

MARKETS LATE.

Owing to the president's message many markets were late or omitted.

COTTON PRICES UP OVER TEN POINTS

BY GEORGE D. MOULSON.

New York, Dec. 8—A further recovery in Liverpool caused active buying at the opening today and started cotton prices ten points higher. But census figures showing 9,318,000 bales ginned to December 1 proved slightly more than a private estimate had led the trade to expect.

As a result, selling became rather heavy for a few moments, running May off about 30 points before the market could catch its breath.

MARCH RECOVERS.

Room traders who bought early attempted to re-sell while houses with southern connection received selling orders on the upturn. Below 24.70 for March demand improved and later in the morning March recovered to nearly 24.90 once more.

There was a definite tendency is certain quarters to accumulate contracts whenever prices eased off enabling cotton to be purchased without forcing an advance. One broker sold a line of ten thousand bales, mostly January and March, but this cotton was taken within range of five points which showed an underlying demand of a more substantial character than has existed in some time.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Dec. 8—WHEAT — No. 2 red $1.31½; No. 1 hard $1.22¼; No. 2 hard $1.21@1.22.

CORN—No. 2 mixed 72@¾c; No. 3 mixed 70¾@71¼c; No. 4 mixed 68½@⅝c; No. 2 yellow 72@73¼c; No. 3 yellow 71@¾c; No. 4 yellow 68½@71½c; No. 2 white 72½@73½c; No. 3 white 71@½c; No. 4 white 69@72½c.

OATS—No. 2 white 43@⅝c; No. 3 white 43@44½c; No. 4 white 42@43½c.

RYE—No. 2, 86c.

BARLEY—68@76c.

TIMOTHY SEED—$9.00@9.75.

CLOVER SEED—$15.00@20.00.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—$10.87.

RIBS—$10.00@11.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Dec. 8—BUTTER—Higher creamery extras, 35½c; standards, 51c; extra firsts, 51@34½c; firsts, 43@40c; seconds, 41@38c.

EGGS—Unsettled; receipts, 2,803 cases; firsts, 40@52c; ordinary firsts, 42@45c; miscellaneous, 46@50c; refrigerator extras, 29½c; refrigerator firsts, 27@28½c.

POTATOES—Dull; receipts, 58 cars; Wisconsin, sacked, round whites, 70@80c cwt.; Minnesota and North Dakota, sacked, Red River Ohios, mostly 75c cwt.; Michigan, bulk, round whites, 75@85c cwt.

POULTRY—Alive, lower; fowls, 13@20c; springs, 19c; roosters, 12½c; turkeys, 30c; geese, 19c.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 8.—Foreign exchange steady. Great Britain demand, 4.56½; cables, 4.56¾; France demand, 7.08½; Italy demand, 5.03; Belgium demand, 6.52; Germany demand, .01¼; Holland demand, 39.90; Norway demand, 19.00; Sweden demand, 26.80; Denmark demand, 20.63; Switzerland demand, 18.85; Spain demand, 13.53; Greece demand, 3.01; Poland demand, .00⅝; Czecho-Slovakia demand, 3.17½; Argentine holiday; Brazil holiday; Montreal, 99 15-16.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—HOGS—Receipts, 20,000; market steady to strong; bulk 140@170 pounds, $8.30@8.35; top, $8.35; bulk packing sows, $7.50@7.80; desirable pigs mostly $8.10@8.25; heavy hogs, $8.15@8.35; medium, $8.20@8.35; light, $8.20@8.35; packing sows, smooth, $7.60@8.00; packing sows, rough, $7.30@7.65; killing pigs, $8.00@8.30.

CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; beef steers and better grades beef cows and heifers strong to 25c higher; killing quality plain beef yearlings, early, $11.00; bulk native beef steers, $8.50@10.00; lower grades beef cows and heifers, canners, cutters and bulls slow; veal calves uneven; choice kind about steady to shippers; packers bidding lower; stockers and feeders slow.

SHEEP—Receipts 5,000; fat lambs opening strong to 15c higher; early top, $15.50 to packers; desirable 90-pound clipped fat lambs, $13.50; feeders, quiet; fed 96-pound yearling wethers, $12.80; sheep steady; aged 124-pound wethers, $8.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—HOGS—Receipts, 26,000; left over, 14,509; $8.30 paid and refused for 225-pound butchers; $8.25 refused generally; looks steady with Thursday's best time; quality fairly good; average price yesterday, $8.15.

CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Dec. 8.—COTTON—Futures opened barely steady; December, $24.81; January, $24.80; March, $24.39; May, $24.87; July, $24.48.

Cotton—Futures closed steady; December $24.75; January $24.73; March $24.04; May $24.85; July $24.35.

Cotton, spot quiet; middling $24.95.

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